The Victoria Daily Times.

Vol. 3. VICTORIA, B. C., WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1886. No. 106

Great Cash Sale

—OF—

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

For TWO WEEKS ONLY, Commencing on MONDAY, August 30.

$25 SUITS REDUCED TO $20 | $20 SUITS REDUCED TO $16
$16 " " $13 | $15 " " $12
$10 SUITS REDUCED TO $8.

As we expect our New Stock in about two weeks, we are determined to sell off our old stock regardless of cost. An inspection of our goods and prices solicited.

A. GILMORE, - - JOHNSON STREET.

REMOVAL.

Leask & Morrison,

TAILORS,

Have Removed to Government St.,

D. SPENCER'S OLD STAND,

NEAR FORT STREET.

'ACCIDENT ASSURANCE.'

The Employers Liability Assurance Corporation

(LIMITED.)

OF LONDON, ENGLAND.

HEAD OFFICE FOR CANADA—British Empire Building, Montreal.
F. STAMLIFFE, Manager for Canada.

Capital, - - - - - - - - $5,000,000
Fully Subscribed, - - - 2,500,000
Government Deposit, - - 50,000

Gives every advantage offered by other First-Class Offices.
Prompt and Liberal Settlements.

A. B. GRAY & Co.,

Wharf Street, Victoria.
GENERAL AGENTS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA. oct7-16

Wanted.

Advertisements under this head, three insertions 50 cents: six insertions, 75 cents.

WANTED—By a steady young man from England, situation as Groom or Coachman. Good horseman. Eight years' experience; willing to be useful. Address S. S., TIMES office. oct13 3t

WANTED—A woman of energy for business in her locality. Salary $50. References. E. J. Johnson, Manager, 17 Barclay street, New York. oct12

WANTED—By a lady, for self and her five year old child, board in a private family where she can receive comforts of a home. References exchanged. Address Home The TIMES Office. oct 12-3t

WANTED—A FARM HAND wants a situation. Can milk, take care of stock and general work. Steady and sober. British Columbia Employment Bureau and Business Agency, Fort street, between Broad and Douglas. oct8 6t

WANTED.—CLERK WANTED—Thorough in office duties and energetic, to fill a trustworthy position. Must control not less than $400 to $500 cash capital. Salary commencing $60 a month. Address for one week "Clerk," P. O. Box 78, Victoria, B. C. oct8 6t

WANTED—Farm hand. Steady and sober. Winter job. $20 per month. British Columbia Employment Bureau and Business Agency, Fort street, between Broad and Douglas. oct7 6t

WANTED.—A smart boy to learn the Dry Goods business. Apply at this office. sep

DO YOU WANT A SERVANT? ADVERTISE in THE TIMES the greatest medium for "Want" advertisements, because the largest city circulation; three insertions 50c. six insertions 75c.

WANTED.—About the 15th October, a general servant. Address Box No. 130, Vancouver, B. C. oct2

Personal.

GENTLEMEN CORRESPONDENTS wanted in French and English. Object fun. Maud DeVine, Edna Somers, Cobourg P. O., Ont.

MR. HOWLAND, BARBER, OF SEATTLE, will please communicate with Mrs. L. B. Greenslade, Lady Barber, Johnson street, Victoria. oct11 3t

Lost.

LOST—A Lady's Gold Watch, in hunting case, with jet and gold hob-chain attached. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at E. Crow Baker's office. oct12 6t

J. C. DEVLIN,

Produce and Commission Merchant,

DeCosmos' Block, Government St.

DEALER IN

Eastern Cheese, Butter, Hams, Bacon, Lard, Flour and Oatmeal.

Island and Mainland produce handled on Commission. Liberal advances made. Consignments of all kinds of produce solicited. sep30-1m

J. & A. Clearihue,

Commission Merchants and Manufacturers' Agents.

Dealers in Fruits and all kinds of Produce. Consignments solicited.

YATES STREET, VICTORIA.

For Sale.

FOR SALE CHEAP two City Lots; ten minutes walk from post office; commanding unbroken view of entire city and harbor; Superior natural drainage; Pleasant locality and surroundings; purchase money may be paid in Easy installments. Address "A. B." Box 324, Victoria City. oct 11-3t

FOR SALE—A well furnished Lodging House, with 14 rooms, doing a good business. Apply at the old Globe Hotel, Fort street. oct1 2w

FOR SALE—One Platform Spring Express Wagon, with pole. Horse's Harness will be sold cheap. Apply at this office. Or to Joseph Bland Half way House Esquimalt Road. sep29 2w

FOR SALE—The business of the St. George Inn, situate on the Esquimalt Road, one mile and a half from Victoria, is offered for sale, owing to the ill health of the proprietress. Place doing a good business. Apply on the premises for further particulars. sep21 tf

FOR SALE.—An established Hotel business with a paying trade, centrally situated, within a short distance of the Post Office. A good investment for a good man with CASH. Address, for particulars, "HOTEL," TIMES office.

FOR SALE.—About 50 acres of excellent land along the line of Island Railway, suitable for all purposes and near to proposed Railway Station. Plenty of water on the property. Address "FARMER," TIMES Office. aug 21

To Let.

FOR RENT.—THEATRE COMIQUE.—Suitable for Entertainments, Lectures, Bazaars, Balls, parties &c. For terms apply to PECKERING & Co, Fort Street: Oct 4-12 t

FOR RENT.—Furnished rooms to rent with or without board, in a private family, near the central school. For Address Apply at this office. sept 30-1m

Meetings to be Held.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, Broughton street, between Government and Broad streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
sep 1-1y WILLIAM SCOTT, Secretary.

AN ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT TEMperance Hall every Saturday evening. Good Temperance speakers and Musical Selections, with Recitations, forming a good programme. The Blue Ribbon Band will be in attendance. All are cordially invited. Chair taken at 7:30 o'clock precisely. S. GRAY, President.

THE Y. W. C. T. U. OF VICTORIA MEETS every third Monday in each month at Temperance Hall, on Pandora st., at 7.30 p. m. A good programme and sociable time at every meeting. Strangers cordially invited. no5-1

MIDWIFERY

MRS. MCGREGOR, MIDWIFE. Diplomas and highest testimonials of proficiency from the University of Edinburgh. Calls promptly attended to. Residence, corner of Douglas and Cormorant street, over Gossell's grocery store. may18

LOOK HERE!

$2000 will buy a Watson's Sawmill and Engine,

Twenty-five horse-power, only three months in use.

$500 will buy an 8-horse power Hoisting Engine in good order.

ALSO FOR SALE.

20 heavy Horses
30 Cooking Stoves
150 Cross Cut Saws
6 Blacksmith's Outfits
40 sett Blocks, Ropes, etc.

The above will be in use to the 1st of November. Apply to McDERMID & ROSS.

CHINESE IN VICTORIA.

The Versatile Geo. H. Hamm Tells What he Knows of Chinatown.

And How he Seduced the Confiding Cox to Eat Dog.

Mr. George H. Hamm, traveling correspondent of the *Manitoban*, contributes the following dissertation on Chinese to a late issue of that paper: In public you hear on all sides that "the Chinese must go." Public men denounce them, the laboring man drives them out, governments tax them as they do foreign cattle or goods, and regulate them, so far as they can be regulated. John seems to have every man's hand raised against him, and you would imagine he hadn't the ghost of a show in this free America of ours against all such opposition. That is how it reads on the outside. But there is another side to the question. I interviewed several gentlemen on the question, and they said that Chinese servants were far superior to those of home manufacture. "Why," said one, "my man gets up in the morning, lights the fires, gets breakfast, sweeps out the house, makes up the beds, tends on the doors, run errands—in fact, does everything. I pay him $18 per month, and I wouldn't trade him off for a dozen white servants."

"Don't they ever leave you?"

"Once they get attached they do not, and if one wants to get away on a spree or for a holiday he always puts a reliable person in his place."

"As business men, how are they?"

"They are sharp and shrewd, but as honest as the average white man."

"But they have filthy habits?" I said.

"So have some whites. As a rule, however, the Chinese are clean."

"Well, why don't you stick up for them?" I asked.

"Because public opinion is against them.

AT VANCOUVER

one Sunday evening a Chinaman spoke to a leading real estate dealer about buying a lot. After the conversation was over, this gentleman said to me: "There is an honest and hard working man if ever there was one. He wants to buy a lot from me, but I won't sell him one." "Why not?" I innocently enquired. "Because we don't want them here, and have agreed not to sell them lands." "But you would sell lots to some of these infernal anarchists who assassinated seven men in Chicago, and you would sell to a socialist, to a Fenian cut-throat, wouldn't you?" And he admitted that he would, and he couldn't convince any unbiased man that one of that class was preferable to even a heathen Chinee.

It is a fact—it might also be mentioned—that without the Chinese the people of Vancouver and other points of British Columbia would have gone mighty short of vegetables this year, for they are the only ones that raise enough to sell. I spoke to others, and they said that while publicly they were forced to be "agin" the Chinese, they privately believed that in small numbers they would be a valuable acquisition to any country. The only trouble was that they didn't come in small numbers. Well—as to

THE CHINESE QUARTER IN VICTORIA.

Accompanied by Dr. Milne, the city health officer, and Dr. McGuigan, of Vancouver, the poorer quarters were visited. In one place the doctor led us through an ill-smelling place to a small, badly lighted and worse furnished room, in which lay helpless on a wretched and dirty bed a decrepit and emaciated old man—the very picture of misery. He was a leper. His feet had rotted off, and the stumps of his legs looked like colored pegs whittled to blunt points. His joints were all swollen, and the doctor said his hands would go next, and so on, rotting away inch by inch until death would put an end to his sufferings. He had lain there fifteen years—and how many more he would lie there helpless and hopeless God only knows! He was not in much pain, he said; but it was evident that the monotony of his useless life, prostrate with a disease for which there was no human cure, must have been terrible torture. Death would be a happy release. He lived, he scarcely knew how. A little bowl of rice was beside his pallet that some kind neighbor had brought in, and a white man gave him silver once in a while. But often he went without a meal, he said, with nothing to occupy his mind, unable to scarcely stir; with no future to look forward to except the grave—his was a fate that was sad and sorrowful indeed. On to another house, where the men and women flocked together and wore a flurried and hunted look (for they were afraid the authorities were about to pounce upon them) into a back room where

BOTH SEXES WERE GAMBLING,

while a couple of white men lay upon a rude bed sleeping the sleep that comes after the opium smoke. Another was just rousing, with fiercely-extended eyes and pallid cheeks, as if awaking from a horrid dream; then the terrible effects of the opium upon its slaves come to one. But after all there was not so much difference between this evil and that of whisky-drinking, except perhaps, as some one has said, the one is a Christian habit and the other a heathen vice. In another long row of little buildings I don't know how many hundred Chinese were huddled together, and all the front doors had little port-holes, with slides on them, so that the inmates could look out and shut the slides on the approach of strangers. In the evening, Deacon Cox, of the postal department, went with me to a gambling saloon. There were about twenty in the room throwing dice in a large bowl, and grabbing them out quicker than you could say scat, and yelling something in their outlandish language. The loser would hand the winner a big round tin chip, which represented the stakes on each throw of the dice. In another place they were playing a game something like dominoes, but they played with such rapidity, and the movements of the hands in gathering up the dominoes after each play was so quick, that it would take a Pennsylvania lawyet to discover the drift of the game. Then there was

THE THEATRE—

a plain, bare-looking place, without any attempt at ornamentation. The play had been on some nights, and it seemed to tickle that part of the audience which understood it. We didn't. But there was a continual blare of trumpets and sing-song squeak of a fiddle and monotonous beating of a drum. Behind the scenes—there was no scenery—but in the "green room" the actors were busy putting on paint, and making themselves as hideous as paint and masks could make them. The play may have been a good one, but a fifteen minute's stay was long enough for the party, and it adjourned to a restaurant. It was a clean enough looking place, but there was a close smell about it. We ordered soup, and went into the kitchen to see it made. The cook had some boiling thick stuff on the stove and he put some herbs in it. Then we each took a bowl. I looked at Cox, and he bravely put a spoonful in his mouth. I followed suit, and then didn't wonder why he hadn't said a word. He took another, and I suggested that we get some chopsticks to eat with, as the other banqueters had. We got them, but might as well have had knitting needles. Then the spoons were resorted to again, and we finished the consomme, and paid four bits for it. We both wanted fresh air, and after a while Cox said confidentially to me: "Dog, I guess?" "No, sir-ree, cat!" was the answer and then——

ALASKA'S BOUNDARY

As Given Through an American Channel—No Commission Deemed Necessary by Washington Authorities.

A dispatch to the New York *Sun*, from Washington, relative to the Alaska boundary and the recent discovery of gold in southeastern Alaska states that the locality of these new digging is not given, but they have probably been found upon the banks of one of the small rivers tributary to the Stiakine, the principal river of southeastern Alaska, or one of the small rivers behind Revilla Gigedo Island, near the extreme southeastern boundary of Alaska. In both the above named location gold in small quantities has been found, and both have been visited by prospectors at intervals running through five or six summers; but down to the present summer they have failed to find deposits that would pay for working. The reported value of the newly discovered placers and their proximity to the boundary line as defined by treaty between Russia and Great Britain, and subsequently between Russia and the United States, but never accurately surveyed, is made the pretext for a call for a joint commission to locate exactly the boundary. By the terms of the treaty of cession this boundary is thus defined:

"Commencing from the southernmost point of the island known as Prince of Wales Island, which point lies in the parallel of 54 deg. 40 min. north latitude, and between the 133st and the 132d. deg. of west longitude, the said line shall ascent to the north along the channel called Portland Channel, as far as the 56th degree of north latitude; from this last mentioned point the line of demarcation shall follow the summit of the mountains situated parallel to the coast as far as the point of intersection of the 141st degree of west longitude, and finally from the said point of intersection, the said meridian line of the 141st degree in its prolongation as far as the Frozen Ocean."

With reference to the boundary line it is further provided:

"That whenever the summit of the mountains which extend in any direction parallel to the coast from the fifty-sixth degree of north latitude to the point of intersection of the 141st degree of west longitude shall prove to be at the distance of more than ten marine leagues from the ocean, the limit between the British possessions and the possessions ceded by this convention shall be formed by a line parallel to the winding of the coast, and which shall never exceed the distance of ten marine leagues therefrom."

From the head of the Portland Canal in latitute 56° north, to Mount St. Elias in 60.22 deg. north and 141 deg. west, a broken line of mountain seamed with deep and precipitous canyons rises from the coast line. Beyond this first or shore line rise higher mountains reaching back beyond the ten league limit. The heights have never been explored and can have little value. They are covered with perpetual snow, which feeds the rivers that flow through the canyons to the sea or increase the bulk of the leys. The length of the line between the Portland Canal and Mount St. Elias is upward of 500 miles, and a thorough exploration of the district and the marking out an exact boundary line throughout its entire length would be a work of several years, requiring an enormous outly. The only difference of opinion among men who have explored the coast and rivers of the district is whether the negotiators of the treaty meant to locate the line on the first or on the second and higher and less broken range. The limited area between the two ranges is of no value, unless gold or ether metals shall be found in sufficient quantities to pay for their extraction. At present there is nothing in the mining laws and regulations of the United States or Canada to prevent the miners of either country on an equal footing. The mining laws of Canada demand a small fee of $5 from claimants to a ledge or deposit, while on our side of the boundary our laws are still more liberal. There is no restriction upon citizens of the United States owning and working claims in British Columbia, and none upon Canadians working and owning claims in Alaska. As the United States owns the coast line and controls the rivers and fiords which lead up to the mountain district, it controls the only avenues of access to any mining districts which have been or are likely to be discovered in that part of British Columbia which lies east of the Alaska mountain boundary. It is, therefore, an unnecessary, uncalled for and unwise measure to introduce a contention over the boundary line between southeastern Alaska and British Columbia into our already unpleasant contention with Canada.

THE GOVERNMENT JONAHS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR.—In your controversy with Bombastes Furioso, Vidi *Colonist*, in reference to portfolio of Finance Minister, there is now no longer any doubt that your view of the case must be considered to be the only tenable one. Is it possible that the ex-minister used his organ in its last issue to apply in a card published in the ordinary reading matter, for a job at his legitimate line of business, Vide, Employment wanted "as a first-class blacksmith, etc.," winding up with the assurance that the applicant had "no objection to go into the country. Good references;" (the government no doubt). If such is the case THE TIMES may well congratulate itself upon its success. Now for the other Jonah!

BRITISH COLUMBIAN.

MARINE NOTES.

The bark Plymouth with one million feet lumber for China, passed Race Rocks at noon to-day in tow of the Pilot, 12 hours from Burrard Inlet.

The bark City of Aberdeen with lumber for China will be towed to sea to-morrow.

LYTTON ASSIZES.

Stirring Address to Grand Jury by Mr. Justice Walkem.

Judge Strong's Censure of the Chief Justice Reviewed.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The fall sitting of the Court of Assize was held at Lytton last Monday, Hon. Justice Walkem presiding. The Bar was represented by several prominent barristers from this city and other points.

After the Grand Jury had been sworn in His Lordship delivered to them an able and instructive address.

The learned judge commenced by sympathizing with the large number of jurors who had been summoned, there being ninety in all, and stated that this number it was thought might be required as there were some cases in which there were three and four persons respectively in one indictment for larceny and murder, who might if they insisted on their right of challenging twenty each thus challenge sixty or eighty jurors and virtually leave the court without a jury. He hoped, however, that he would be able soon to relieve them from duty. He then explained the nature of the five indictments to be considered, two of them being for murder of white men at Hunter's ranch and near the cantilever bridge respectively. He pointed out the usual duties in each case which fell upon the grand jury. He then said he would take the liberty of drawing their attention, as he had hitherto done with the grand jurors of Clinton and Kamloops, to a circumstance of a public character seriously affecting in his opinion the administration of justice in the province. The circumstance had been the common theme of conversation in this large district. He referred to the report in the newspapers of an observation made by Mr. Justice Strong, of the Supreme Court of Canada, when Sproule's case was under argument before that body to the effect that if he had done what the Chief Justice of this province had done with respect to a certain order made in the case by the latter he would have considered himself as deserving of impeachment. The report remained uncontradicted by Mr. Justice Strong, and from that and other circumstances it might be fairly inferred that it was correct. If it were correct His Lordship could only say that it was not unwarranted. He then explained the facts of the case at length, that the Sproule case had been up before the five judges of the province, himself of course included. What took place then was as follows: That about this time last year the Crown applied to the Chief Justice for a change from Kootenay to Victoria for the trial of Sproule—a change of venue. Prisoner's counsel appeared on the application; the result was that an order was made for that change, subject to the terms of section xi of the Criminal Procedure Acts, which provides in effect that before directing a change of venue to a place other than that in which any alleged offence has been committed, the judge shall see that any extra costs which the prisoner might be put to in defending himself in the event of such a change should be provided for by the Crown. The record before the full court here showed that such an order had been made, but the prisoner's counsel urged that the record was incorrect in that respect, and that he had failed in his endeavours to have it corrected by the insertion of a first order, which he alleged as really the only order having any force. The Attorney General took a contrary view and explained that although there were two written orders signed by the Chief Justice, the first order merely drawn up by his department as a documentary authority or warrant to the gaoler at Victoria to receive and detain the prisoner, while the second order was really the order that had been made and pronounced by the Chief Justice. The members of the full court then referred to the note book of the Chief Justice from which it appeared that Sproule's interests had been most carefully considered there being memoranda in the shape of queries as to the difference in cost to the prisoner at that time of the year if a trial at Donald, or at Farwell or at New Westminster or Victoria. It appeared to every member of the Board that the Chief Justice's conclusions in favor of a trial at Victoria were unmeasurably in the interests of the prisoner, for if tried as suggested by his counsel at Farwell he would have to pay much more for the attendance of witnesses and counsel than would have been the case were he tried at Victoria. The order made was so wholly in the interest of the prisoner that if the Crown had not applied for it the prisoner certainly might have been expected to do so. It was admitted by his counsel at the time before the full court, on the question being put to him, that his client, Sproule, had not been prejudiced on the ground of extra expense, and also that no application had been made to the prosecution for any extra expenditure caused by the change, as in part there was none and could not be any. Another matter His Lordship observed was that an order by a judge was the order which he pronounced and not always the order which was written. This was a well known rule and could not be otherwise. The order pronounced by the Chief Justice was considered by the full court as a just and righteous one and altogether favorable to the prisoner. The drawing of the two orders instead of one in the first instance by the Attorney General's department might have been unusual, and at the very worst irregular, but the prisoner and his counsel had notice of all that had been done; knew that his (the prisoner's) rights had been protected by the Chief Justice, and that so far from any advantage having been taken of him the order pronounced by the Chief Justice was wholly favorable to him and eminently humane as contemplated by the statute under which the order that was pronounced was made. In fact the impression made upon him (Mr. Justice Walkem) when sitting in the full court was that the prisoner's counsel gave up his objections in respect to the orders mentioned, and at best he never urged their serious consideration, the main argument having been confined to the question of the value of the Lieutenant-Governor's commission, the Assize Court Act and the legality of the constitution of the jury, as well as some other points involving the question of jurisdiction of Mr. Justice Gray to try the prisoner as he had done. In view of these facts, it was difficult to imagine, observed His Lordship, how the idea of a charge of impeachment against the Chief Justice could have occurred to Mr. Justice Strong. So far from the order or the course with respect to it being corrupt, as would be implied by Mr. Justice Strong's language, it was a righteous and proper one. Surely if it had been merely irregular such language should never have been used by a person occupying Mr. Justice Strong's high position. At the present day impeachment is unheard of in cases of mere irregularity of practice, and could only occur in cases of judicial corruption, more or less gross. His Lordship felt it his duty to bring this matter prominently before the grand jury, not merely in fairness to the Chief Justice but in justice to himself and his other colleagues on the bench, for they had all held the opinion that the Chief Justice had done the prisoner no wrong whatever, and that the latter had been in no way prejudiced, but on the contrary, had been benefitted by reason of the change of venue and consequent orders with respect to it. Holding this opinion, as the full bench did, the language of Mr. Justice Strong was as justly applicable if applicable at all to everyone of them as it was to the Chief Justice. He therefore spoke in defence of himself and the Bench generally. He had not spoken to his colleagues about this matter, but whatever might be their opinion he considered it his duty to repel Mr. Justice Strong's attack. Speaking for himself he considered the language gross, undignified and unbecoming of a judge occupying Mr. Justice Strong's high position. He would say more, it was ill-considered, intemperate, and he did not flinch from saying scandalous. It was calculated to decrease the respect due to the Supreme Court of Canada, and to impair its usefulness. Beyond this, by stigmatizing the Chief Justice and the members of the full court as deserving impeachment, Mr. Justice Strong adopted the strongest means of shaking confidence in the administration of justice in the Province. His (Mr. Justice Walkem's) object was to place the whole matter in a fair light of showing that the utterances of that judge were unwarranted, and by thus removing any mischievous suspicion they may have caused that wholesome and humane laws had been trampled upon in the interests of the Crown and to the disadvantage of a man in Sproule's awful position. His Lordship said he hoped that he had said enough on this matter, and that this community would, like the communities of Kamloops and Clinton, whom he had lately addressed through their grand jury on this unpleasant subject, wholly concur with his remarks.

He then proceeded to give them a minute and very interesting account of his recent visit to Cariboo, and in doing so considered that there was an immediate bright future for the province in respect of its quartz mines. After stating what he had seen and heard up there and at Clinton, he thought there would be a complete revolution for the better in the business of the country within the next twelve or eighteen months. He not only hoped that such would be the case but believed it. A new process for working such quartz as we had bountifully dispersed throughout the province had been discovered within the last few years. The difficulty of working sulphurates had been overcome in California and Nevada, and quartz which had been abandoned there as profitless in working was milled now with great success.

The jury than retired and at 1 o'clock brought in true bills on all the indictments.

"May it please Your Lordship: We the Grand Jury beg to report as follows: That we regret the large extent of the criminal calendar at this assize, but we agree with Your Lordship in your opening observations that the parties accused in the present instance are not British Columbians, but appear to be parties brought into the province by railway construction; and we are glad to find that the law-abiding character of the population is not impaired by the depredations of the transients. We agree with Your Lordship in condemning the use of such language as that ascribed to Mr. Justice Strong in reference to the action of Chief Justice Begbie in the Sproule case.

We earnestly sympathize with Your Lordship's remarks with respect to the mineral developments of the country, as we look to such developments as our true source of prosperity.

We beg in conclusion to assure Your Lordship of our best wishes for yourself and family.

CHARLES A. SEMLIN, Foreman.

Throughout the day, the address of the learned judge was fully discussed, and from all I could hear elicited the most favorable comment. His observations throughout were listened to with the greatest attention by the audience in court, and apparently gave great pleasure to all present. I have not attempted to give the address in full, as His Lordship spoke somewhat rapidly and I found myself caught wrapped up with interest in his remarks, too much so, indeed, to give a fuller report of what was said.

The cases so far disposed of are as follows:

Webster, an employee of Messrs. Van Volkenburg, charged with stealing and selling twenty-nine of their sheep, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

Hudson and five others, charged with stealing or receiving as stolen a sample case of Messrs. Ferguson & Co., of Victoria, brought up by the railway company, showed facts somewhat in their favor. Two of them were acquitted and acting on the verdict of the jury who strongly recommended the other four to mercy the latter were ordered to give bonds in $500 each to appear when called upon for sentence.

The next was the case of two Chinamen who were charged with the murder last October of Edwin Holloway, trackman, on the C. P. R., near the cantilever bridge. The result was a verdict of not guilty.

One civil case against the C. P. R., by two Indians, for the killing of four horses near Lytton by an eastern bound train last month, resulted in a judgment for the company. The court adjourned at 9 p. m. till 10 a. m. to-morrow, when the important case of alleged murder of an unknown man supposed to be one Dillon, on Hautier's ranch, by three men, newcomers in the province will be tried. The Judge, in presenting this case to the Grand Jury, highly complimented Supt. Roycraft and his assistants on the manner in which they had so far discharged their duty. C.

QUEBEC ELECTIONS.

The nomination of candidates for the general election in the province of Quebec took place last Thursday, 7th inst. The following gentlemen were elected by acclamation. The letter M. indicates ministerial and O opposition. Hon. Messrs. Robertson and Flynn, Provincial Treasurer and Secretary had no opposition. The other members elected are Messrs. Owens and Beauchamp, M., and Messrs. Larochelle and Shehyn, O.

—Money saved by having your plans made by FRASER, the ARCHITECT.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

EUROPEAN, BY CABLE.

BECOME INSANE.

DUBLIN, Oct. 13.—The *Mail* says the Rev. Augustus Stapford, brother of the eminent Unitarian preacher, has become insane and has been confined in an insane asylum.

BULGARIAN ELECTION.

SOFIA, Oct. 13.—Elections in Bulgaria for members of the Great Sobranje have resulted in the return of 480 government candidates, 26 members of Scankoff party and fifteen adherents of M. Jarvelloff.

AMERICAN HAPPENINGS.

THE WESTERN UNION.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—At a meeting of the Western Union Telegraph Company stockholders, held to-day, S. Sloan, presiding, the following new directors were elected: Austin Corbin, Henry H. Hydes, and John G. Moore. These gentlemen take the places of Harrison Durkie, deceased, Frank Work and Hugh J. Jewell.

It has been demonstrated that with two more competitors reaching all the principal common centers of the Rocky Mountains, and with some of the rates cut below cost of service, the company still maintains an earning capacity equal to more than four per cent. on its capital stock above fixed charges.

President Green presented his annual report. The bonded debt at the close of the year was $6,817,200; business of the year was—revenue, $16,298,638; expenses, $12,378,783; profits, $3,919,855; surplus, July 1st, 1885, $4,324,504; from which profits and surplus deduct $3,934,025 for dividends and interest, charges and surplus, June 30, of this year, and $4,309,333 remains. The report says that whilst the volume of business to the office has continued to increase the tables show a material reduction on revenues principally in cable, gold and stock, and commercial news. The earnings, notwithstanding the continued reduction in rates, from land line service, have been well maintained, the falling off in the earnings from messages transmitted over land lines being less than the increase from wire rentals. The outlook for the ensuing year is better in the face of active and extended competition. The early moving of the grain crop made an active business in July and August, and weekly returns from test offices showed a large increase.

CHICAGO STRIKE.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Mr. Barry, of the Arbitration Committee, appointed by the K. of L. to adjust the labor trouble in the yards, said to-day that he had hopes of making a settlement in the forenoon, and would at any rate know before noon what the prospects of compromising the difficulties were. He was surprised at the action of the packers at their meeting yesterday, and said when he saw them yesterday forenoon they had said nothing to him about any determination to hold out for 10 hours, but what they said rather led him to believe a compromise might be arranged. The quiet that has attend this great strike is the wonder of every one who comes to the yards, and has made thousands of friends to K. of L., to whose efforts the admirable order is due. The importation of men by Armound & Co. is making the strikers a trifle restive and the task of controlling the younger element is becoming difficult. Everything this forenoon was the same as it was yesterday. Armour's beef butchers still remained at work by order of the K. of L., although they are restive under the fact that cars are loaded by clerks and outsiders. Pinkerton's men have completed their culinary apparatus, and will dine entirely at Washington butchers packing house. They can't buy anything outside except at the Transit house. There is a rigid boycott against them.

ANOTHER BOX HORROR.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 13.—The remains of a woman were found in an oak box at the Allegheny dump, near the end of the Union bridge this forenoon. The lid of the box was broken off by the jar the box received when it fell and the contents had rolled out. The body was nude and in an advance state of decomposition. In the box were labels of the Pacific Mail Steamship Co. and New York office of the Adams Express Co. The authorities are inclined to think the body was shipped from Europe, but no definite information has been learned in regard to it.

MILITARY APPOINTMENTS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—The President to-day appointed Col. E. B. Wilcox, 12th Infantry, Brigade General, vice General J. H. Potter, retired. Gen. Wilcox has been ordered to Fort Leavenworth to assume command of the Department of the Missouri. The President has appointed Jos. C. Duane, chief of engineers, U. S. army, with rank of Brigade General, vice General Newton, resigned. Gen. Duane is now on duty in New York as engineer of the 3d light house district.

THE K. OF L.

RICHMOND, Oct. 13.—Delegates were early afoot this forenoon and were unusually prompt in their attendance at Armory Hall. The most important work of the convention was begun yesterday when the General Master Workman declared the amendments to the constitution in the order, and was sustained in his decision by the assembly, despite the objection of a few. The work was resumed this forenoon and was prosecuted throughout the session.

NEW YORK MAYORALTY.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—It seems probable that Abraham S. Hewitt will accept the Tammany Hall nomination, and the Democrats of New York will for the first time in six years present a united front. Bob Ingersoll has announced himself in favor of the election of Henry George and advises Republicans to endorse and vote for the labor candidate.

A SOUTHERN GALE.

GALVESTON, Oct. 13.—Last night's furious gale subsided towards morning, and to-day it is clear. The damage to shipping and railroad property is slight, and beyond the wetting of a couple of barges, laden with cotton on the gulf side of the city no serious damage was done.

INDIAN CASHMERES.

The favorite material for APRONS and WAISTS DRESSES. Our third shipment of this justly popular fabric, consisting of 15 pieces, in the most seasonable shades, just received. WM. WILSON & Co., City House.

—Freight trains are now running into New Westminster, conveying freight to and from the Royal city. The advantage of having railway connection is becoming very obvious to those in doubt of this long

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Wednesday, Oct. 13, 1886

THE DAILY TIMES.

—Published daily and weekly by the—
VICTORIA TIMES PRINTING AND PUBLISHING COMPANY LD.

OFFICE—Yates Street, next to Frank Campbell's Corner.

DAILY TIMES delivered in all parts of the city by carrier, at 25 cents per week.

TRANSIENT ADVERTISING—Per line, solid nonpareil: First insertion, 10 cents; each subsequent consecutive insertion 5 cents. Advertisements not inserted every day, 10 cents per line for each insertion. No advertisement in this classification inserted for less than 25.

REGULAR COMMERCIAL ADVERTISING, as distinguished from everything of a transient character—that is to say, advertising referring to regular Mercantile and Manufacturing Business—published at the following rate per line space of solid nonpareil, the duration of publication to be specified at the time of ordering advertisement:—

More than two days and not more than one week, 20 cents.

More than one week and not more than one fortnight, 30 cents.

More than one fortnight and not more than one month, 40 cents.

No advertisement under this classification inserted for less than 25, and accepted only for every day insertion.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS, Classified, 10 cents per word per month. No card inserted for less than $1.00.

Notices inserted amongst regular reading matter items, 25 cents per line for each and every insertion.

Where cuts are inserted they must be ALL METAL—not mounted on wood.

Advertisements unaccompanied by specific instructions inserted until ordered out.

Advertisements discontinued before expiration of specified period will be charged the same as if continued for full time.

THE WEEKLY TIMES

published every Friday morning, is an excellent readable family journal, sent to all parts of Canada and the United States free of postage.

THE WEEKLY TIMES, per year $2.00
" " six months 1.25

TERMS—Strictly in advance.

Special Rates for WEEKLY TIMES

TO ADVERTISERS.—Changes for advertisements for the Daily edition must be handed in to this office not later than 10 A. M. on the morning of publication; otherwise insertion cannot be guaranteed.

Address, THE TIMES P. & P. CO., Victoria, B. C.

J. C. McLAGAN, Manager.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM.

One of the questions most likely to receive attention from our Ottawa legislators in the near future is that of the civil service. Already a sharp discussion on the subject is going on in the eastern press. The Montreal *Herald*, in calling attention to the abuses of the system of superannuating members of the service, presents some statistics which make it clear that a change is imperatively demanded in the interests of the taxpayers of the Dominion, and it becomes a question as to whether the system should not be abolished altogether. Under the present ministry the system has been grossly abused by superannuating men who were in the prime of life and well able to perform their duties, in order to make places for needy hangers on, relatives of ministers or influential party supporters and broken down politicians. Another thing done by the government which cannot be justified was reducing by one-half the percentage of deductions from salaries of officials in order to provide a superannuating fund. When this government came into power the amount deducted from the salaries of officials receiving over $600 per year was 4 per cent., and those under, 2½ per cent. Sir LEONARD TILLEY, though his percentage was altogether inadequate to meet the expenditure, reduced it to 2 per cent., and 1½ respectively. According to the figures furnished by our Montreal contemporary, Sir JOHN MACDONALD since 1878 has superannuated 453 civil servants, of whom 351 are still on the list, and the result of the superannuation fund is that on an average each civil servant has drawn $2503, to which he has contributed $163. By way of illustration the *Herald* presents some of the names and amounts paid to the fund and those received, the first column showing the amount paid in by the official previous to superannuation, and the second column the amount drawn out by him up to January 1st, 1886:

Agnew, N.	$ 141	$ 4,263
Ashe, E. D.	458	26,186
Bell, R.	343	4,212
Benoit, W.	239	383
Birch, C. J., age 55	112	10,207
Bramley, J. C.	451	8,034
Bernard, H., age 51	505	1,870
Briscoe, C., age 57	69	10,972
Brunel, A.	1,050	7,200
Cary, A., age 64	255	6,405
Cooper, P.	22	3,257
Dickson, G. P.	525	6,039
Fife, W. G., aged 59	211	10,773
Flanigan, John	337	4,506
Futvoye, Geo	420	24,579
Hewett, Thos	112	10,873
Hood, H. A.	348	1,488
Howard, C., age 53	166	8,048
Kelly, E. C., age 50	36	6,383
Kimber, R., aged 59	275	11,187
Kingston, G. J.	140	10,950
Langton, John	847	29,146
Leslie, Joseph	584	16,858
Lindsay, P.	216	7,883
Maingay, W. A.	113	4,308
Meredith, E. A.	639	18,060
McKay, H. B.	223	3,687
McMicken, G.	261	12,506
Patrick, A.	nil	12,098
Prieur, F. H.	240	9,975
Ramsay, G. W.	83	4,416
Ross, J. W.	294	18,818

The *Herald* may well ask why should such large sums be drawn from the public treasury and the public taxes without value being given? Our contemporary closes its article as follows, and we think most people will cordially agree with the sentiments and suggestions thrown out:

"It is a great question whether the sums paid into the public treasury by those now in the civil service ought not to be returned to them and the superannuation system abolished altogether. It is too late to be continued, and the end must soon come. Those who have left the service and to whom the public faith is pledged should, of course, receive what the country has agreed to pay them, but persons now on Dominion duty should be given to understand that the end of the system approaches, and within the next three or four years, if not at once, the fund should be extinguished."

THE PROOF WANTED.

During the contest in Haldimand the Hon. THOMAS WHITE, Minister of the Interior, at one of the meetings exhibited to his audience a picture of LOUIS RIEL with a rope round his neck, saying at the same time, pointing to the picture that "this was one of the new saints of the Roman Catholic Church." When charged with this after the election, Mr. WHITE denied that he had done so which it is desired to that ... paper, the Montreal *Gazette*. Now a respectable farmer and elector in the county, named WILLIAM THOMAS ANTHONY, of the township of North Cayuga, makes solemn affidavit that Mr. WHITE on the thirty-first day of August, at a meeting held at the village of Cayuga, did exhibit RIEL's picture and used the words attributed to him. What has the hon. gentleman to say about it now? The only possible way out of the difficulty he has got into that we see is to apply afresh his old excuse that political exigencies excuse fibbing. This is a very convenient way of getting rid of unpleasant statements and Mr. WHITE has made use of it on one memorable occasion, which is fresh in the recollection of our readers. But what will people think of a Minister of the Crown, who in order to influence the electors, makes certain statements and then denies them. At all events the matter must be cleared up for it has now assumed an aspect out of which Mr. WHITE, as a Minister of the Crown, cannot escape with impunity.

COAL COMBINATION.

The coal miners of Pennsylvania are encouraged by the present and prospective advance of 50 cents per ton in the price of anthracite to request a slight advance in wages. Warned by the coercive strength of the great corporations heretofore, they will "go about the matter in the most conciliating form," and "make an appeal rather than a demand." The Six Companies, it will be observed, do not feel the need of "conciliating" anybody. They fix the wages arbitrarily as near the starvation point as the men can work and live. They regulate the production at a "conference of gentlemen" and advance the prices in a ukase to the dealers. They buy legislators in advance, as being cheaper than to "conciliate" them after their election. The arrogance of the coal combination and the humiliation of the miners ought to convince the voters of this country that there is a failure somewhere in making the will of the people the law of the land.

So speaks the New York *World* a few days since. In that city there has arisen a man who has signified his willingness to accept the position of mayor of that city, with a view to popularizing certain theories of his, designed among other things to cheapen coal and raise miners' wages. He has been studying the Pennsylvania labor question and makes the following statement in the October *North American Review:*

The condition of the miner has for some years been growing worse in Pennsylvania and better in Great Britain. The British miner works less hours in the day, but more days in the year. He does not get as high wages in money, but he does not pay high rent, nor is he swindled by pluck-me stores. The general fact is that the wages in the United States is higher than in Great Britain, and that the condition of the working class as a whole better. But in the very occupations which we so tax ourselves to "protect," the English workman has as a rule the advantage.

As remedies for the evils growing out of the coal combination, Mr. GEORGE proposes (1) that the customs duty on imported coal should be abolished, in order that the competition of foreign producers may compel Pennsylvania producers to lower their prices; (2) that the railways leading from the mines to the points of consumption should be assumed by the State and worked for the benefit of the public, instead of for the purpose of earning large dividends for private stockholders; (3) that the rental value of the mining and other lands should be taken by the State in taxation, and used for public purposes, thus enabling the State to remit all taxes on goods and thereby increasing the purchasing power of every worker's wages. The cheapening of fuel would promote general manufacturing industry and increase the amount of available employment, thus raising wages in other industries besides coal mining. These means appear to be well adapted to secure the end which the *World* professes to desire, namely, that the will of the people should be the law of the land. But we have not observed that the *World* endorses either the man or the means. It is easier to growl at grievances than to work for their removal.

POWERFUL NAVAL ARMAMENTS.

AT enormous cost the nations of Europe have created formidable ironclad navies. Compared with any of the first or second rate powers of the old world—even with China, Japan, or some South American countries, the great republic has no navy worthy of the name. Even little Chili could, it is said, more than match the United States in a naval battle. This reads strangely, and if the alarmists could have aroused the fears of the nation the republic might long since have been frightened into a vast needless expenditure. The fact is that the nation has had all the navy it needed, and has virtually saved the money that would otherwise have been expended in construction and maintenance of costly fleets. Now the effort to create an ironclad navy is to be made by expending the $20,000,000 voted by congress recently. This appears but a modest effort for so great and wealthy a people, when it is remembered that this year the regular appropriation of England for improving her navy is $65,000,000. This involves the construction or completion of 20 armored ships, five "protected" ships, 25 unprotected ships, and 54 torpedo boats. Unarmored ships are coming in favor again—swift cruisers of light draft, carrying guns of long range, that can fight an enemy out of range of his guns, and outrun him if necessary. There have been as yet no naval battles between ironclad fleets, and there is a growing impression, after all the millions invested in them, that they are not what is wanted. Very probably the first great battle at sea may change the theories upon which vast expenditure has been made. And with like probability the great republic, which is in no danger from enemies, has done well to wait, and will do well to wait still longer before constructing a navy. The advantage of noting the results of an actual

Civic Excursion

$60. TO WINNIPEG. $60.

St. Paul & Minneapolis

BY THE

Canadian Pacific R'y

On request of His Worship the MAYOR, special arrangements have been made to enable the members of Victoria Council to visit the PRAIRIE

City of Winnipeg,

On Thursday, Oct. 14, '86,

For the very low rate of

$60.

For the Round Trip, Good for 90 Days,

Which also includes ST PAUL and MINNEAPOLIS. Everybody should avail themselves of this unusually LOW OFFER to visit the East.

Special Palace Sleeping Cars

Will be reserved for the use of the party. STOP OVER PRIVILEGES will be granted, to enable passengers to view the SCENERY en route if desired.

Intending Passengers

Will please communicate with D. R. MUNRO, City Ticket Agent, early as possible to enable him to complete arrangements for the comfort of the party.

This Excursion will be under the supervision and accompanied by MR. D. E. BROWN, District Passenger Agent; also by CAPT. JOHN IRVING. No pains will be spared to make everything pleasant.

D. R. MUNRO, City Passenger Agent, Wharf Street. D. E. BROWN, District Passenger Agent, Can. Pac. Railway.

$65.

CHEAP FIRST-CLASS

Eastern Excursion

FROM

Victoria to Duluth, St. Paul, Minneapolis and return,

VIA

O. R. & N. and Northern Pacific R'y

Leaving Victoria, 6 a. m., Thursday, October 14, and Portland at 3 p. m., October 15th.

The U. S. National W. C. T. U. meets at Minneapolis, on October 22-29. To accommodate Delegates and their friends excursion tickets will be sold at all O. R. & N. coupon ticket offices

At $65

For the round trip to the following points: St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth, good for return for 90 days from date of issue.

Tickets shall be limited for the GOING trip from Victoria up to Wednesday, Oct. 20, at 6 a. m.

Further and full particulars on application to ROBERT IRVING, Agent O. R. & N. & N. P. R. Co., Government Street.

Sep30

TO THE EAST

THE STEAMERS OF THE OREGON RAILWAY AND NAVIGATION COMPANY

Leave Victoria Every Day, except Sunday, at 6 a.m. (5:45 local time).

Making immediate connection with Train from

Portland to the East

on the following day. Train leaves Portland every day at 5 p.m.

PULLMAN SLEEPING CARS AND DINING CARS.

To Ontario AND Quebec

By way of Portland and Chicago is the only route that passes through a populous and well settled country.

Seattle, Tacoma and Olympia.

Steamer runs every day, leaving at 6 a.m. (5:45 local time), and arriving at 5:30 p.m., touching at Port Townsend, Seattle, Tacoma and Olympia.

THROUGH TICKETS, LOW RATES and full information can be obtained at the Company's Office, Government street, two doors north of Post Office.

ROBERT IRVING, Agent.

JOHN J. BYRNE, General Passenger and Ticket Agent. sep17

H. R. ELLA,

SOLE AGENT FOR

J. H. Cutter Bourbon Whiskey

Val. Blatz Milwaukee Beer,

White Rock Mineral Water.

Has also an assortment of

Wines and Liquors.

Samples—

Cor. Fort and Broad-Sts.

FOR SALE,

Craigflower Steam Mills

Now doing a good business. Capable of making the best article of

OATMEAL

In the Province. Also,

A PEARL BARLEY MILL

Together with a SAWMILL, 32-inch Saw. An Oatmeal Miller will find this a rare opportunity. Apply to D. F. ADAMS.

sept22

MADAME WHARTON,

Planet Writer.

DESIRABLE AND USEFUL to all persons. Charges according to the value of the Planets written, the cost not exceeding $1. The day of the month and hour of the day required. Dreams interpreted. The new Planet Book for 1887 will arrive shortly. Correspondents must enclose one stamp instead of stamps if required. Address W. Ker, G.P.O. Victoria.

1886. FALL 1886.

LANSDOWNE HOUSE,

YATES STREET, VICTORIA.

See the Complete and Elegant New Stock!

CASH BOUGHT IT--LOW PRICES WILL SELL IT.

Mantles, Flowers, Feathers, Hats, Hosiery, Gloves, Lace Curtains, Quilts, Blankets, Etc., Etc., Etc.

Berlin Wool, in all shades, per pkt	37½	*Hosiery, good make, 3 pair for*	50c
Canton Flannel, 14 yds for	$1 00	*Yarn, in all colors, per lb*	65c
White Calico, 14 yds for	$1 00	*Ladies' Linen Collars, each*	12½c

DRESS GOODS in all the new materials, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 37½c, 40c, 50c, to $1. Send for Samples.

☞ NOTE THE ADDRESS—Lansdowne House, Yates Street.

JOHN PARTRIDGE, Proprietor.

oct2

Closing Out Sale

Messrs. SHEARS & PAGE

Announce that having decided to discontinue business, they will

COMMENCE ON THURSDAY NEXT, 7th inst.,

—TO—

CLOSE OUT, AT COST,

Their Entire Stock of DRY GOODS, including a large shipment of Novelties and Staple Goods.

ALSO, SEVERAL CASES OF

MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS

TO ARRIVE IN A FEW DAYS.

S. & P. take this opportunity to thank their many customers for their kind patronage in the past, and at the same time to inform them that this being A GENUINE CLOSING OUT SALE, all Goods will be sold for CASH ONLY.

We respectfully request that all outstanding accounts be settled at an early date.

SHEARS & PAGE, London House.

oct4

FALL & WINTER

BULLETIN.

We have received our Second Shipment of

CLOTHS AND TRIMMINGS,

IN REAL

Fur, Beaver, Astrican, Chinchilla and Nap Beavers,

Melton, Pilot Cloths, Broad Cloths and Doeskins,

Extra Quality and Superb Designs in Trouserings,

By the best Manufacturers in England, France and the United States.

We unhesitatingly say, without fear of CONTRADICTION, that they are

The Best Goods ever Imported to this City

We will make up these Cloths second to none. All are cordially invited to inspect our Stock.

TERMS CASH.

A. GREGG & SON,

ARTIST TAILORS,

Corner Douglas and Pandora Streets, Victoria.

sept 16 1m

Winsor & Newton's Artist Materials.

Cheap Copying Presses.

P. O. Box 358. *Telephone 134.*

ROBERT JAMIESON,

BOOKSELLER & STATIONER,

Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

Dennison's Seals, Labels and Tags.
Faber's Rubber Goods, Pencils and Penholders.
Gillott's and Esterbrook's Pens.
Admiralty Charts and Nautical Books.
A Large Stock of Cheap Literature of all kinds.
Cage's School Books.

Blank Books.

Sole Agent for Thomas' Inks, Mucilage, &c.

WHY PAY HIGH PRICES

FOR YOUR CLOTHING,

When you can secure the Finest Suits for Men and Boys at Lower Rates than previously offered at the

GOLDEN RULE CLOTHING STORE.

We have just received an Elegant Stock of

Underwear, Fine Shirts, Hats, Neckwear,

Satchels, Trunks, and the Latest Novelties in Gents' Furnishing Goods, which are open for Exhibition. REMEMBER THE PLACE:

GOLDEN RULE CLOTHING STORE,

ABOUT 500 LBS. WOOL

E. G. PRIOR,

—IMPORTER OF—

Iron, Steel,

HARDWARE

—AND—

Agricult'rl Machinery

Builders' Hardware,
Miners' Outfits,
Farm Wagons,
Plows, Harrows,
Mowers, Reapers
Twine Binders,
Etc., Etc., Etc.

GOVERNMENT ST., - VICTORIA.

Empire Brewery.

HENNING PETERS, late of the Lion Brewery is now prepared to supply the trade and families with all kinds of

Beer, Ale and Porter.

The Brewery is situated on Spring Ridge, and is built over a well of pure, ever running spring water. This fact enables me to manufacture the very finest brands, equal to any imported Ale, Beer and Porter.

The machinery used is of latest pattern, the ingredients are pure water, malt and hops, and a trial is only necessary to convince that the brands are the finest manufactured in the Province.

All orders for city supply, or for shipment to Island or Mainland points will receive prompt attention and a satisfactory article furnished.

HENNING PETERS, Empire Brewery, Spring Ridge, Victoria, B. C.

oct10 tf

MASONIC BUILDING. CHEAP BOOTS AND SHOES. CHEAP VARIETY STORE. DOUGLAS ST., Vic.

Masons Fruit Jars, 2qts, $2.10; qts $1.75.

GENERAL

PASSENGER AGENCY.

ATLANTIC STEAMSHIP LINES,

To or from Great Britain or the Continent,

Berths secured in advance by Telegraph.

HALL & GOEPEL,

GOVERNMENT ST., VICTORIA.

A. A. Aaronson,

PAWNBROKER

Money advanced to any amount on Diamonds, Watches, Trinkets, Trunks and Contents, or on any Approved Security.

Ladies and Gentlemen's Cast-off Clothing purchased. Parties waited on at their residences. INDIAN CURIOS in rare and endless variety. Note the address—Johnson Street between Broad and Government. c24

Garesche, Green & Co.

BANKERS,

GOVERNMENT ST. VICTORIA, B.C.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED IN GOLD, SILVER and U. S. Currency. Interest paid on the same on time deposits.

GOLD DUST & U. S. CURRENCY

PURCHASED AT HIGHEST MARKET RATES.

Sight Drafts & Telegraphic Transfers San Francisco, New York & Canada.

Exchange on London.

Available in all parts of Europe, England Ireland and Scotland.

LETTERS OF CREDIT issued on the Principal Cities of the United States, Canada and Europe.

Agents for Wells, Fargo & Co.

C. B. ROBELEE,

Carpenter, Joiner and Contractor

WHARF STREET, near JOHNSON

VICTORIA.

All kinds of jobbing promptly attended to and satisfaction guaranteed.

☞ Houses built on the Instalment plan.

Charges Moderate.

oct13 1y

D. M. EBERTS. W. J. TAYLOR.

Eberts & Taylor,

BARRISTERS & SOLICITORS,

A Specialty made of Bad ... Debts.

VICTORIA, - - BRITISH COLUMBIA

Hotels and Restaurants.

California Hotel,

Cor. Washington and Adams sts.,

Port Townsend, Washington Ter

BOARD—Per Week, with Lodging, $5.
Single Meals, 25 cents.
Best of accommodations and everything in first class style. Billiard and Pool Table.

jel9 1y CAPT. C. GILBERT, Proprietor.

The Gordon Hotel,

Johnson St., between Store & Wharf

WHERE "OLD BOB" will be found at his usual business of selling BAD WHISKEY, but good Cigars.

The undersigned cordially invites old and new friends to give him a call.

ROBERT McDERMOTT.

Victoria, January 8th, 1885. jan8

COSMOPOLITAN HOTEL,

Southeast Cor. Fort and Douglas Sts

VICTORIA, B. C.

Board and Lodging, per week ..... $5.50 and $6.
Board, per week $4.50
Beds, per night 50cts

No Chinese Employed.

The bar is supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

sep16 JOHN BERRYMAN, Propr.

ORIENTAL HOTEL,

AMERICAN PLAN.

Is the most desirable FIRST-CLASS HOTEL in the City.

☞ TERMS MODERATE.

WM. McKEON & SON, Proprietors.

sept24 6m D & W

ROCCABELLA.

Private Boarding House

Comfortable Home for Permanent Boarders

OR

Transient Visitors.

sept18 1m

The Burrard Hotel,

Corner Carroll and Cordova Streets.

VANCOUVER, B. C.

The Only First-Class Hotel in Vancouver.

may 10 MARTIN & BALFOUR, Proprietors.

THE CLARENCE,

Corner Yates and Douglas Streets,

VICTORIA, B. C.

Frank G. Richards, Jr., Lessee

Tourists' Headquarters. New and Elegant in all its Appointments. Fully Supplied with all Conveniences of Modern Hotels. First Class in every respect.

PRICES MODERATE.

sept 8

COSMOPOLITAN HOTEL,

KAMLOOPS, B. C.

Is situate at the junction of North and South Thompson Rivers, and is one of the most delightful locations in the Province. First-class accommodation for tourists. Stage meets all East and West trains.

sept4 1y J. T. EDWARDS, Proprietor.

NEW DOUGLAS HOUSE,

WINNIPEG, MAN.

MOST CONVENIENTLY SITUATED FOR strangers visiting Winnipeg. Pleasant and cheerful rooms, giving a fine view of the chief thoroughfare of the city. Prices moderate for first class accommodation. Free 'Bus.

sept22 3m BENNETT & CO., Proprietors.

THE COLONIST HOTEL,

BEACON HILL.

Lovely Scenery! Beautiful Surroundings!

A pleasant and healthful summer resort, overlooking Juan de Fuca Straits, and only one mil from the Postoffice, Victoria.

Families can be provided with suites of room at moderate charges. A first class Cook has just been engaged. Telephone call 547. mar22

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of unsurveyed land, situated on King's Lake in Sayward District, and described as follows: Commencing at the northwest corner of Mr. Jenkins' claim and running east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains to point of commencement (east side of lake)

JAS. KING.

Victoria, Sept. 11, 1886. sept30 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of unsurveyed land situate on King's Lake, Sayward District, and described as follows: Commencing at the north west corner of King's Lake, on Jenkins' south line, and running west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains to place of commencement.

J. KING.

Victoria, Sept. 11, 1886. sept30 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of unsurveyed land situate on King's Lake, Sayward District, and described as follows: Commencing at the northeast corner of the lake, running north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

J. E. JENKINS.

Victoria, Sept. 11, 1886. sept30 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of unsurveyed land situate northwest of Menzie's Bay, in Sayward District, and described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of Ireland's claim; thence north 60 chains; thence west 60 chains; thence south 60 chains; thence east 60 chains to point of commencement.

JAS. KING.

Victoria, Sept. 11, 1886. sept30 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of unsurveyed land, situate northwest of Menzie's Bay, in Sayward District, and described as follows: Commencing at Ireland's south line and running south 60 chains; thence west 60 chains; thence north 60 chains; thence east 60 chains to point of commencement.

A. R. JOHNSTON.

Victoria, Sept. 11, 1886. sept30 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of unsurveyed land situate north west of Menzie's Bay, Sayward District, and described as follows. Commencing at the south west corner of Pimbury's claim, thence running west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains to to place of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND.

Victoria Sept 11th 1886. sept 30-law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land, more or less, situate on King's Lake, Sayward district, and described as follows: Commencing at the south east corner of J. King's claim; thence running west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement.

A. JOHNSON.

SEYMOUR'S, 1879.

The Daily Times.

Victoria, Wednesday, Oct. 13, 1886.

FEATURES OF CHINA

A VISIT TO THE INMATES OF A GOVERNMENT PRISON.

Prisoners Who Get a Great Deal of Pleasure Out of Life—Court of Justice. Punishment of Perjurers—Coinage of the Empire.

Having a rainy day to spare I have spent part of it in a visit to the government prison. Why the inmates remain here longer than they wish is a puzzle I have yet to solve, for getting out seems the easiest thing in the world. A small fee to the man in charge took us all about the place. I saw but one guard, and he was sound asleep, with an outfit for smoking opium beside him. There was one locked door, and that a hard push would have demolished. The prisoners had chains about their feet, and were permitted to roam about. They were playing cards and smoking, and seemed to be getting as much pleasure out of life as did the world outside.

They all wanted "cumshaw," and as one can get 1,600 "cash" for a Mexican dollar, one can feel like a prince throwing handful of money for as little actual expense as in any place on earth. A solid pocketful of coin for an American twenty-five cent piece will go a long way in China. A few of the worst prisoners were caged by themselves, with a collar made of square planking extending three feet either way about their necks; these were the only ones who could not have departed when they were tired of confinement. The women's department was in the same style as that of the men, and they too looked as if they had found a comfortable place and wanted to keep it. Every day or two a few prisoners are decapitated, and thus the prison is kept from being overcrowded.

IN A COURT OF JUSTICE.

The court was in session not far away, and we walked in to see how justice is administered here. One man was being examined by the mandarin and four or five more were being tortured. The guide told us that "they no speak truth;" we found that they were witnesses with the truth of whose testimony the judge was not satisfied. A little torture he thought would extract the truth. This torture was simple. A plank is placed on end, and at the top and bottom two other pieces of wood are fastened at right angles, making a frame something like a carpenter's "horse." The knees of the unhappy perjurer are first beaten to make them tender; he is then placed in a kneeling position with the arms drawn straight behind him and kept there by a string which is tied about each thumb and then drawn up taut, the string being suspended from the sticks at the top of the plank. Other cords hold up his feet, being fastened tightly to the great toe and then drawn up so that the leg is bent behind him and held in the air—the weight of the body of course coming partly on the tender knee and partly on the great toes. A hole is made in the plank just behind his head, and through this the cue is drawn and fastened to a little windlass; this being slowly revolved a not too pleasant result of pulled hair is obtained.

Fearful were the yells of one of those men; if a half hour of that would not bring the truth nothing would. Two of the men were softly groaning, and two others had faces like Stoics, and not a murmer came from them. They evidently believed that a lie well stuck to was as good as the truth. The sight was not pleasant, and we came away with a great respect for the law as administered in China. This method of preventing perjury I recommend to the notice of our law makers, for it is said to bring about the required result if kept up long enough. The only flaw seems to be that the mandarin alone has to be satisfied, and it is just possible that he might be mistaken at times.

THE COINAGE OF THE EMPIRE.

The collecting of coins has a temporary fascination for the visiting foreigner. No coin in China is ever called in, and the coinage remains the same as when first issued about six centuries before Christ. The Chinese word for "current money" and the name of the emperor in whose reign it was coined are on each piece. The coin is cast, not stamped, and has a square hole for facility in handling, any number being strung on a bit of bamboo. Our consul lately took about a hundred, not picked coins—but ones with which his servants were buying articles from day to day—and had them classified by a man versed in the history of the Chinese dynasties. These coins dated from 300 B. C. to the present reign. I have one issued about the time of the Roman conquest, but showing little signs of its age. The characters are worn away on one side, but the reverse is as plain as if it had been only a few years out of the mint.

I have lately seen something of the boat life of Canton, and very queer it is. That such a mass of humanity can be packed into the space the boats occupy is hard to understand. They get along much better with one another than one would suppose—waiting their turn to get out of a jam without the Billingsgate that a jam is apt to bring forth elsewhere. I saw one or two cases where a naturally sweet temper seemed to be ruffled a little, but it was soon over. A large family will occupy a few feet of space, living, eating, sleeping in a spot too small to fairly breathe in. They tie a float to the boy babies, and if they fall overboard they are safe. The girls are saved if convenient, for girls do not count for much in China; they need civilization to learn their power. The boy is a bread-winner, and its life is valuable. The smaller portion of the family they put along the keel under the floor at night; lift up a board and there you'll find them, packed in like sardines in a box. For all their crowding, and what must be a life of hardship and discomfort, the babies looked as chubby, and the older members of the family are as healthy and in as good spirits, as if they lived with a few acres of green meadow about each family.—Canton Correspondence New York Tribune.

Took Advantage of the Decline.

A newsboy who was eating away at a yellow banana, while he had two red ones stuffed in his pockets, was approached by another and asked:

"Did you get that tin type took fur ten cents?"

"Naw!"

"Too cloudy?"

"Naw! I was on my way to the gallery when bananas dropped to three fur ten cents, and I took advantage of the decline. Tin types are allus ten cents, but bananas bob up and down."—Detroit Free Press.

Trying Ordeal for the "Autocrat."

Literary Americans on this side of the water, fanning themselves under their own vines and fig trees, know little of the discomforts and tortures Oliver Wendell Holmes is undergoing in England. He is obliged to take the most nauseating taffy, eat when he is not hungry, stay up when he wants to be in bed, sit at table for hours at a stretch at unholy hours, hear disgusting speeches from full men, and smile and return thanks for all. The sufferings of a sensitive man being lionized must be terrible.—New Orleans Picayune.

The Secret of Cheap Cigars.

A firm of Connecticut cigar manufacturers who have been underselling rivals, explain that the use of cheap tobacco in the mouth end of a cigar is the secret of it all. They claim that the smoker throws the cigar away before the fire has reached the poor tobacco.—Chicago Times.

Lime Cartridges for Blasting Purposes.

Lime cartridges are coming into use for blasting purposes. A hole is bored the lined cartridge inserted, and water is poured over it. The increase in volume of the slaked lime splits and cracks the substance which it is desired to blast.

Varying Value of Gold Dust.

The value of gold dust was not known to the early miners in California. Marshall and those who were with him at the sawmill race had never seen gold in its virgin state before the discovery. The first gold sold at Colona, it is said, only brought $8 an ounce, but it afterward rose to $16, at which figure it remained for some years. Sellers and buyers did not for a long time recognize any difference in the value of different dust. "What are you paying for dust to-day?" was the question often asked by the miners of the dust buyers. Thus, in those times no more difference was recognized in the quality of different gold dust than is to-day recognized in the quality of different sand or sawdust. Buyers mixed their dust together when they sent it to the mint, and paid an average price for it all. This was a very good thing for the miner who had poor dust and very unfair to those who had dust of the best quality.

Afterward it was found that the dust as it was taken from the earth varied greatly in value. Some of it, according to mint returns, was worth even as low as $9 an ounce, and some was worth $20 and more. This is on account of the fact that a greater or less amount of baser metals, silver, copper, etc., is always found in alloy with gold in its natural state. Gold dust always differs as much in appearance as it does in quality. Some of it is yellow and bright, and some is dull in color—dark green and black. The bright yellow dust is not always the best in quality, as might ordinarily be supposed. Some of the purest gold ever mined has been almost black in color. There is also no uniformity in the form of particles of gold dust. Some is fine and flour-like, some is coarse and smoothly worn, and some is rough and scraggly.—San Francisco Post.

A Superstition of the Chinese.

I saw a Chinaman burning paper in his doorway recently when I chanced to be passing his house late at night, in a back street in Brooklyn, and I had the curiosity the next day to ask an explanation from an intelligent Christianized Mongolian. He said that devout Celestials, particularly those who have just arrived from China, always burn paper in each doorway of the house before retiring at night. They believe that the progenitors of the present Chinese dynasty were dissatisfied with the Chinese customs which grew up at the close of their dynasty, of permitting aliens to enter the Flowery Kingdom, and attribute the success of the Tartars to that custom. To mark their displeasure they placed in the sky a star of death-dealing influence, which, if it should shine into their doors or upon the floors ten nights in succession, would cause the death of all who inhabit the house. Red, which to the Chinese mind, typifies all that is good and righteous, is the antidote; hence the red curtains hung before every Chinese house and laundry. Fire, which produces a red light, expels the demons, hence the customs of burning paper in doorways.—New York Sun.

As Defined by a Boy.

"Anybody that knows a[illegible] fore it happens is called a reporter," w[illegible] nition written on the slate of an 8-y[illegible] in one of our schools the other day.

Wanted to Keep the Watch.

A man came into the store with a battered old watch which he wanted repaired. One of the clerks looked at it and remarked that it was almost past mending.

"Yes," said the other, "but I want to keep that watch. It was given to me by my brother on his death bed, and I want to preserve it as a memento."—Cincinnati Times-Star.

A Race of Bald Heads.

A race of hairless Americans is threatened. It has been estimated that already one-half the adult men of American birth living in our cities are bald, and baldness is extremely liable to be propagated in the male line, and to appear a little earlier in each successive generation.—Boston Budget.

GOOD!

William Fenwick, sworn, before Judge Galt, Toronto, 1882; Jas. Bethune, Q. C., for plaintiffs:—I live at Enterprise, 20 miles back of Napanee, Ont., I am a miller; I had occasion to use the Starr Kidney Pad. It was used for a lame back; that was in the year 1880, I think. I had been suffering more or less with it at certain times for five years; not suffering all the time. I had doctored myself more or less all the time. At the time I got the pad I was in bed and could not get up. Mr. Alsworth, the druggist of Tamouth, Ont., asked me to use the pad. He said to try it; I did try it, and I hadn't it on two hours until I got relief. I had pain in the back, and my water was high colored and bad; the pad did not trouble me in bed at night; I felt better after having the pad on two hours; I worked with it on for three or four days; then I threw it off; I felt all right, and went to work again. I had no heavy lifting then at first for a couple of days; but on the third day I gave my back a little wrench, and I went back to the house and put the pad on, and I got relief in half an hour. I then wore it for six weeks. Sometimes yet I have twinges of pain, but I have not been laid up. I used to be before that if I stooped down I could not pick up. I have had none of that feeling since. I had taken no medicine while using the pad. Q.—To what do you attribute your cure? A.—To the Starr pad. Cross-examination:—I was suffering very much at the time I put the pad on; there is a doctor in Enterprise village—Dr. Carscallen; I did not call him in; I was in Tamworth when I was taken bad; I had been up there; it was a sudden attack I had then. Q.—You did not think it, however, worth while to send for the doctor? A.—No, I did not. I had tried doctors before to no avail; the pain was getting worse all the time. I had not put the pad on when I was taken bad. I was taken bad about 6 o'clock, I put the pad on about 9 o'clock, and I got partial relief about 11 o'clock; the pain gradually wore off. Then I went out and got cold and was taken bad again; I went back to the house and put the pad on again, and got better. Q.—What was it you were suffering from? A.—Well, the doctors all decided it was Bright's disease of the kidneys. I got a fall some years ago; I thought my kidneys must be bad, because my water was so high colored. I had got a fall with a bag of peas on my back, and hurt or sprained my back. The pad I have right there in the mill yet. Q.—Mr. Osler—I hope you wont put it through the hopper. A.—No, I value the pad too highly. LANGLEY & Co., wholesale agents, Victoria, B. C.

WANTS TO KNOW.

Dr. LeDuc's Periodical Pills.

These Pills are compounded from the purest drugs, from those only which are known to act upon the *Generative Organs in Females.* It is a well known fact that a very large proportion of the ills to which Females are liable, are the direct result of *Suppressed or Disordered Menstruation,* and it is necessary therefore that a *safe* and *reliable* remedy for the cure of these diseases be placed within the reach of every one. *Dr. Le Duc's* Pills are the *oldest,* most generally used, and *most reliable* remedy for the cure of *Suppressed Menstruation,* and other *Uterine* diseases, and wherever they have been introduced have driven every other remedy out of the market. They were first introduced into Paris, France, by Dr. LeDuc in 1839, and have so gained the confidence of the public that they have for years been the standing remedy in every household. Ask any druggist for them. Wholesale of LANGLEY & Co., druggists, VICTORIA, B. C. Retail by E. Pimbury & Co., Nanaimo; T. Pickard, Denman Island; R. R. Richardson, Cow-

Notices.

Notice.

In the matter of the estate of Francis Chapperon, of Yale, B. C., deceased intestate.

ALL persons indebted to or having any claims against this estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness and send particulars of their claims to the administrator, Mr. Sidney J. Pitts, of Yates street, Victoria, Merchant.

Dated 16th September, 1886.

S. PERRY MILLS,
Solicitor for the Administrator.
Sep16-1m SIDNEY J. PITTS.

Notice.

THE BUSINESS FIRM TRADING AND CONTRACTING under the style and name of "G. B. WRIGHT" has hitherto consisted of G. B. Wright and George J. Ainsworth. The latter partner has withdrawn from the firm from this date. If any claims are held against the firm, they will be paid by the undersigned, and the business will in future be carried on by him alone. G. B. WRIGHT.

Victoria, Sept. 15, 1886. sept17 1m

Notice.

DURING my absence in California Frank Campbell holds my power of attorney.

P. MURPHY,
Adelphi Saloon.
October 3rd, 1885 oct3

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned as Hotelkeepers at the Globe Hotel, Esquimalt, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Charles Fisher assumes all liabilities, and takes all assets.

THOMAS DOYLE.
CHARLES FISHER.

Victoria, oct 4-1886. oct 5-1mo

NOT RESPONSIBLE.

I HEREBY give notice that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted in my name without my written order.

A. W. HUSON.

Victoria, Sept. 25th, 1886.

BLACKSMITHING.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING ERECTED

A STEAM HAMMER

On his premises, and having all the **Latest and Most Improved Machinery,** is prepared to execute every kind of **Heavy Forging and Blacksmith Work in all its branches.**

All orders punctually attended to.

JOHN ROBERTSON,
sept25 tf Store Street.

W. E. CHAMBERLAIN & T. A. ROBINSON

PACIFIC Business College, 320 POST ST. SAN FRANCISCO.

LIFE SCHOLARSHIPS $75

No Vacations

DAY AND EVENING SESSIONS.

Ladies admitted into all departments.
Send for circulars.

LOWENBERG, HARRIS & CO.,

Real Estate Agents.

PURCHASE, SELL AND LEASE PROPERTY, collect rents, make loans on mortgage and transact all business relating to

REAL ESTATE.

Maps showing the various districts on Island and Mainland, the situation of desirable City Lots, Homesteads, Gardening and Farm Lands can be consulted at their office. feb2

QUEEN'S MARKET

GOVERNMENT ST. VICTORIA, B. C.

L. GOODACRE,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

BUTCHER,

Contractor by appointment to Her Majesty's Royal Navy.

A. & W. WILSON,

Plumbers, Gas Fitters,

BELL HANGERS AND TINSMITHS.

Dealers in Best Descriptions

Heating and Cooking Stoves, Ranges, Etc.

FORT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.
TELEPHONE CALL, 126.

Shipping Supplied at Lowest Rates.

WILD PHILIPPS SEALS DIES MONOGRAMS CARDS CRESTS ENGRAVER COPPER PLATE ENGRAVING ROOM 8 DISCOUNT VICTORIA

Yates Street, above Douglas.

CHAS HAYWARD
Funeral Director
and Embalmer.
Yates street T. A. B. C.

TOWN OF FARWELL

Lots for Sale.

ALLSOP & MASON.

FOR SALE,

A PAYING BUSINESS

IN NEW WESTMINSTER for sale. Six Bedrooms, well furnished, Dining Room and Furniture, Kitchen, with Range, Cooking Utensils and Table Ware. Price $425. Reasons for selling, old age and being unable to attend to the business. Address W. Box 13, P. O. Office, Vancouver.

Railways and Steamers.

The Canadian Pacific Railway

Is now open for Freight and Passenger Traffic and Trains are running through

Between Port Moody, Winnipeg, Ottawa, Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, St. Paul, Chicago,

And all points in CANADA and the UNITED STATES.

The equipment of this line is all new and of the highest class. Our Sleeping and Dining Cars are luxurious, and our First and Second Class Coaches marvels of comfort. The Cuisine of our Dining Cars is unequalled; every luxury of the season is served in them.

We run the gamut of the finest scenery in the world—Mountains, Lakes, Streams and Prairie.

Smooth, well ballasted Steel Track. NO DUST. FREE SECOND-CLASS SLEEPING CARS

When Going East Purchase TICKETS via Canadian Pac Railway.

MARK AND CONSIGN YOUR FREIGHT BY THIS LINE.

For Tickets, Sleeping Car, Berths, and all information, apply at Office of the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company (Ld.), Wharf Street, Victoria, B. C.; or, C. P. R. Agent, Port Moody.

G. A. CARLETON, Freight Agent. D. H. MUNRO, Passenger and Ticket Agent.

D. E. BROWN, District Freight and Passenger Agent.

YOUNG BROS.,

New England Bakery, Government Street.

Fancy Cakes, Bread, Pies and Crackers OF ALL KINDS.

WEDDING CAKES made to order on short notice. Fresh Oysters always on hand. Goods delivered to all parts of the City.

THE GENUINE

BELL ORGAN!

MANUFACTURED BY W. BELL & CO., GUELPH, ONT.,

Is the pioneer in Canada, is today the only recognized *High Class Instrument* manufactured in the country.

The Superiority OF THE Bell Organ has been demonstrated at all the World's Fairs, and the demand is constantly increasing.

Intending purchasers will do well to call on the AGENTS FOR VICTORIA,

C. A. LOMBARD & Co.,

Government Street, sept11

Railways and Steamers.

CANADIAN PACIFIC Navigation Co.

(LIMITED.)

TIME TABLE NO. 2,

Taking effect July 12, 1886.

Burrard Inlet Route.

VICTORIA TO

Port Moody and Vancouver.
Daily except Monday, at 2 o'clock.

Moodyville and Hastings.
Wednesday and Friday, at 2 o'clock.

Port Moody to Victoria.
Daily except Monday, at 12:30 o'clock.

Vancouver to Victoria.
Daily except Monday, at 12:30 o'clock.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA

For New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island.
Monday at 2 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday, at 7 o'clock

Plumper Pass
Friday, at 7 o'clock.

Port Hammond,
Monday at 2 o'clock, Friday at 7 o'clock

Leaves Port Hammond for Victoria
Monday at 15 o'clock.
Friday at 19 o'clock

Leaves New Westminst'r for Victoria.
Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass.
Tuesday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route.

Leaves New Westminster for Hope, Chilliwhack, Sumass, and way Landings
Tuesday and Saturday at 7 o'clock

Leaves Hope for New Westminster and way Places
Monday and Wednesday at 3 o'clock.

Leaves Chilliwhack, 8 o'clock.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

Steamers leave by Standard Time, which is 15 minutes faster than Victoria time.

G. A. CARLETON, GEN. AGENT. JOHN IRVING, MANAGER.

PACIFIC Mail Steamship Co.

COMPANY'S STEAMERS sail for

Hongkong via Yokohama,

City of Peking	Oct 30, 2 p.m.
City of Sydney	Nov 20, 2 p.m.
City of Rio de Janeiro	Dec 11, p.m
City of New York	Dec 23, 1 p.m.

For New York via Panama,

Steamers will sail 8th, 15th, 22d and 30th of each month for ports of call. See San Francisco papers.

WILLIAMS, DIMOND & CO., Gen. Agents. aug 4 San Francisco.

John Weston

CARRIAGE MAKER,

BLACKSMITH, Etc.,

Government street, between Johnston and Pandora Streets,

VICTORIA, B. C.

Arthur Churton,

FURS AND SKINS DRESSED,

BEAR, PANTHER, WOLF, COON, &c., a specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed. Reference if required.

Railwys, Etc.

Oregon Railway & Navigation Co.

TIME TABLE.

Commencing Monday, Aug. 2, 1886.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS.

Leaves Victoria at	5:45 a.m.
Arrives at Townsend at	10:00 a.m.
Leaves Townsend at	10:30 a.m.
Arrives at Seattle at	2:30 p.m.
Leaves Seattle at	2:45 p.m.
Arrives at Tacoma at	3:45 p.m.

PACIFIC EXPRESS.

Leaves St. Paul at	4:00 p.m.
Leaves Helena at	6:15 p.m.
Leaves Wallula at	10:50 p.m.
Arrives at Portland at	10:30 a.m.
Leaves Portland at	11:00 a.m.
Leaves Tacoma at	4:00 a.m.
Arrives at Seattle at	5:15 a.m.
Leaves Seattle at	7:00 a.m.
Arrives at Townsend at	11:50 a.m.
Leaves Townsend at	12:20 p.m.
Arrives at Victoria at	3:30 p.m.

For further particulars, apply to

ROBERT IRVING,
General Ticket Agent.
Two doors north of Post Office.
Government street.

THE GREAT

OVERLAND ROUTE.

Northern Pacific R. R.

The only line running Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars, Magnificent Day Coaches and Elegant Emigrant Sleeping Cars, with Berths free of charge.

From Washington and Oregon points to the East via

ST. PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS.

The only Transcontinental Line running Palace Dining Cars. (Meals, 75 cents.)

Fastest time ever made from the Coast over the Northern Pacific Railroad to Bismarck, Council Bluffs, St. Joseph, Atchison, Leavenworth, Kansas City, Burlington, Quincy, St. Louis, Chicago, and all points throughout the East and Southeast, via St. Paul and Minneapolis.

EMIGRANT SLEEPING CARS

Are hauled on regular express trains over the entire length of the Northern Pacific R. R. Passengers can save $7 to $9 by buying through Eastern tickets from the Victoria Agent. No change of cars.

Leave Portland, going East, at 3 p. m. daily; arrive at Minneapolis or St. Paul 12:30 p. m. (noon) fourth day.

Connections made at St. Paul and Minneapolis to all points East, South and Southeast.

Trains leave Portland for Tacoma at 11:45 p. m. daily, arrive at Tacoma 6:30 p. m., connecting with O. R. and N. Co.'s boats for all points on Puget Sound, arriving in Victoria at 9:30 a. m.

A. D. CHARLTON,
Gen. Western Pass. Agent
No. 2 Washington Street, Portland.

Robert Irving, Agent, Victoria.

For Granite Creek.

THE undersigned is prepared to run a first class

SADDLE TRAIN!

From Coutlee's to Granite Creek

WILL LEAVE COUTLEE'S

Every Tuesday Morning

After the arrival of the mail from Spence's Bridge.

Returning, will leave Granite Creek EVERY THURSDAY MORNING.

Fare from Coutlee's to Granite Creek..... $7
Express freight..... 7 cents per lb.

J. J. McDONALD,
Proprietor.

W. F. TOLMIE

Has some handsome SHORT-HORNS to show, and will welcome visitors.

—FOR SALE—

QUENTIN, a Red Roan and White Bull, high grade; calved 21st August, 1885.

ABOUT 500 LBS. WOOL.

Cloverdale, V. D. P. O. Box 182, Victoria.

Portland Advertisem'ts.

The St. Charles,

LEADING HOTEL

Of the Northwest.

Corner Front and Morrison Streets

PORTLAND OREGON.

200 ROOMS.

C. W. KNOWLES, Prop.

THE HOUSE has just been thoroughly overhauled, from ground floor to attic, being repainted, papered and refurnished throughout. Twenty additional rooms on the west end, second floor, all entirely new in appointments.

An OTIS ELEVATOR has just been introduced, with a capacity for carrying ten tons weight, making the upper floors as convenient as those on the ground.

THE ST. CHARLES, as now arranged, is undoubtedly the finest and most complete establishment of the kind in the Northwest.

THE RESTAURANT

In charge of CHARLES HEILMAN, is conducted in first class style and affords visitors every luxury known to the epicure. june7

Dr. SPINNEY

Multnomah Block, opposite Post office,

PORTLAND, OREGON.

TREATS with the same remarkable success as of old, ALL CHRONIC, NERVOUS AND SPECIAL DISEASES. Correspondence solicited and prompt attention given thereto. Call, or write for pamphlet and list of questions. june7

J. McCRAKEN & Co.

Importers, Wholesale Grocers and

Commission Merchants,

60, 62 and 64 North Front Street.

PORTLAND, - - - OREGON.
June 8

Corbett & Macleay,

Importers and

Wholesale Grocers,

SHIPPING AND

Commission Merchants

PORTLAND, - - - OREGON.
June 8 D&W

—THE—

"Portland"

CHOICE FAMILY

Patent Roller

FLOUR

Is the finest, Healthiest and

CHEAPEST!

For sale by all the leading Dealers.

USE NO OTHER!

Awarded First Premium at Oregon State Fair 1882, 1883, 1884. Awarded First Premium at Portland Mechanics Fair 1882, 1883, 1884.

Capitol Mills Flour

FULL ROLLER PROCESS,

Manufactured by the Salem (Oregon) Capitol Flour Mills Company, Limited.

ONCE TRIED ALWAYS USED.

The above flour was sold at New Orleans, after close of the Exhibition, for 75 cents per barrel more than flour from other States, and pronounced by Mr. Redon, the Baker who bought it, the best he had ever used.

Head Office—Edinburgh, Scotland.
Mills—Salem, Oregon.

PORTLAND AGENT:
ALEX. GRANT,
8 Stark street

OREGON MILLING CO.'S

ROYAL FLOUR

THE BEST IN THE MARKET.

Carried off two premiums at the late Mechanics' Fair, Portland. At New Orleans was sold at close of Exhibition at a higher price than any other flour, and pronounced by leading bakers to be the best they ever used.

Sold by all leading Grocers.

JOHN WILSON,
Moody's Block, Yates street, Victoria,
Agent for British Columbia.

Red Crown Roller Mills

Manufacturers of Albany Patent, Snow Flake Family Winter, Bakers' and Mount Hood Superfine Flour.

For sale at wholesale and retail by all respect able grocers.

TRY IT. Mills at Albany, Oregon.

ISOM, LANNING & CO.,
aug 14 tf Proprietors.

J. H. MARER,

Just arrived from San Francisco,

Manufacturer

—OF—

FINE FURS,

Will open business in the New Building of the Bank of British Columbia

On Monday or Tuesday next.

SEAL SKIN COATS

Made to order, Dyed, Altered and Repaired.

Fur Trimmings, Capes, Caps, Muffs, Victorines, &c.

A Specialty made of Fur Robes.

Business Cards.

PHYSICIANS.

DRS. HALL & HALL,

Physicians, Surgeons & Accoucheurs

OFFICE—Theater Block, Douglas street.

J. L. HALL, M.D., C.M. — Special attention given to diseases of the Throat, Chest and Skin.

F. W. HALL, M.D., C.M. — Special attention given to diseases of the Eye and Ear.

apl tf Consultation Free.

HOTELS.

THE AMERICAN HOTEL,

ESTABLISHED 1869,

YATES STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

Rates $1 to $1 50 per day.

july13 T. J. BURNES.

CIVIL ENGINEERS

HARRIS & HARGREAVES,

CIVIL ENGINEERS, LAND SURVEYORS, AND ARCHITECTS

S. E. cor. of Government & Fort Sts., up-stairs VICTORIA, B. C.

Plans, specifications and estimates furnished fo buildings.

ARCHITECTS.

F. M. DONOVAN,

ARCHITECT & SUPERINTENDENT

FORT STREET,

sept23 Between Blanchard & Quadra streets.

S. C. BURRIS,

ARCHITECT,

Yates and Broad Streets,

MOODY'S BUILDING (Up stairs.) dec

E. M. FISHER,

Architect,

Spencer's Arcade, Government street,

VICTORIA, B. C. P. O. Box

JOHN TEAGUE,

ARCHITECT.

GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

REAL ESTATE

F. REVELY,

Real Estate Agent, Conveyancer, Rent and Debt Collector.

Money loaned. Business promptly attended to. P. O. Box 436. nov9

JOHN J. AUSTIN,

NOTARY PUBLIC.

Real Estate and General Agent. Loans negotiated, Town and Country Property for sale. Office Bastion street, next to Bank of British Columbia, Victoria. P. O. Box 59.

MERCHANTS.

TURNER, BEETON & Co

MERCHANTS.

H. C. BEETON & Co. 86 FINSBURY CIRCUS LONDON E.C. — Wharf Street, Victoria, B.

GROCERIES.

J. FINLAYSON

Corner of Government and Broughton streets, Victoria, B. C.

Dealer in FINE FAMILY GROCERIES, of al kinds. Table delicacies in great variety. Also choice Tea and Coffee.

IRON WORKS.

ALBION IRON WORKS Co. (Limited.)

HOME INDUSTRY

Engines and Boilers of every description. Cooking and Heating Stoves, etc.

ANDREW GRAY, Manager.

W. F. BULLEN Secretary.

DR. VANMONCISCAR,

THE WELL-KNOWN

SPECIALIST,

Proprietor & Consulting Physician of the Only Private Dispensary on the Pacific Coast, now permanently located at

132, 134, Third Street, Portland, Or.

DR. VANMONCISCAR has made the treatment of Private Diseases of Men a special study and practice for many years. Over 4000 cases treated yearly. Recent cases of private diseases cured in a short time. Ulcers, Humors and Blotches on Face and Body cured without giving Mercury or other Poisons. Mercury is the curse of the human race. Your children will suffer from its effects. Avoid it as you would any deadly Drug, and use no more. These diseases are being cured at this Dispensary without Mercury.

DR. VANMONCISCAR

is graduate of a regular Medical College, is well known over the United States and Canada by

Thousands of Old and Young Men he has Cured,

and it is a well known fact that for years he has confined himself to the study and treatment of Sexual and Chronic Diseases, thus giving him advantages for the cure of these diseases. Dr. Vanmoncisar addresses himself particularly to those who have already tried various physicians and remedies from whom they have received no benefit, and who, in fact, have done them more harm than good. Medicine, like all other sciences, is progressive, and every year shows proof of its advance. By a combination of remedies of great curative power, Dr. Vanmoncisar has so arranged his treatment that it will afford not only immediate relief, but permanent cures.

YOUNG MEN

who are suffering from the effects of youthful indiscretions showing some of the following symptoms: Nervous and Physical Debility, Impotency, Nocturnal Loss, Manhood, Abuse of the system, Exhausted Vitality, Confusion of Ideas, Dull and Loss of Brilliancy in the Eye, Aversion to Society, Despondency, Pimples on the Face, Loss of Energy, and Frequency of Urinating. You may be in the first stages, but remember you are fast approaching the last. The best for these complaints deter you from attending to your ailments. Many a bright and naturally gifted young man, endowed with genius, has prematurely allowed to run on and on, until remorse received his interest, and finally death claimed its victim. Remember that "procrastination is the thief of time." Be by aside your pride, and consult one who thoroughly understands your ailment, and who will know your case, and find permanent relief for an ailment that has made many a drudgery and night hideous. Thousands upon thousands of men in good standing in the social world, of prominence in the world are living monuments of the results of their doings, the seeds of which were sown during moments too thoughtlessness. Young man turn and gaze upon the companion, or some dear mirror for proof to substantiate this fact. Oh! could he control the arm of Fate, or had he his life to live again, then I could not appeal to you more sincerely. Let your mind wander back to the much cherished counsels of a loving father, and remember what you are to-day. Though you may for the present all your station in society, the time is as inevitable as fate when your brilliancy will, like a flash, depart, leaving you a stranded wreck—desolate, forgotten and lost; somebrown the opportunity and enjoy life and happiness longer. If you claim to be a man, act your part manfully. Do not cheate yourself with the thought that Nature will help you, for in doing so you not only fan the flame, but wreck Nature and yourself. Remember, "Large oaks from little acorns grow;" "Little life gentlemen fatal disease."

Middle-aged Men,

married or single, who are prematurely old as a result of excesses or youthful follies, and who are troubled by too frequent evacuation of the bladder, accompanied by a slight smarting or burning sensation, and leaving a deposit of ropy sediment in the urine; and sometimes small particles of albumen will appear, or the color will first be of a thin or milky hue, and again changing to a dark or bright appearance, causing nervous debility and loss of vitality. Remember, this is the second stage of Seminal Weakness. In all such cases [illegible] the Genito Urinary Organs. All interviews and letters are strictly confidential. Medicine [illegible] to a non-exposé package, and sent by express, if desired, free of charge. Consultation personal interview and advice free. Patients treated by mail or monitor. Call early and avoid crowding. Office hours: 9 A. M. to 8 P. M.; Sundays, 10 A. M. to 2 P. M.

W. BUCKETT

Truck & Drayman,

BEGS to inform citizens and public generally that he is ready to be found on the OLD STAND, YATES STREET, and hopes, by strict attention to business, to receive a share of their patronage. My teams will appear at all wrecks and fires. All orders left at Messrs. Wood Bros., Yates Street, or the Fashion Stables, Fort Street, will receive prompt attention. A g 5-1mo

KURTZ & CO.,

Pioneer White Labor

Cigar and Cigarette

Manufacturers

Established 1872.

VICTORIA. SAN FRANCISCO.

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Wednesday, Oct. 13, 1886.

THE WEEKLY TIMES

PROVINCIAL PRIZE LIST.

The Weekly Times of Friday, 15th inst., will contain a full and accurate list of the awards made at the late provincial exhibition. Parties wishing to send copies of **The Times** *abroad can procure same at the bookstores, or at the office of publication, Yates street, next to Frank Campbell's corner.*

The forthcoming number will be a superb one to send to friends at a distance abroad as well as at home.

The Times is now recognized as the leading journal west of Winnipeg. Now is the time to subscribe, only $2 a year, for which a copy will be mailed one year to any part of the United States as well as to Canada, or Great Britain.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—The Wankemphast Boot and Shoe made to order by GEO. H. MAYNARD. *

—GEO. H. MAYNARD's fall and winter goods have just arrived. *

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., for sale at R. MAYNARD's, Douglas St.

—Victoria foot ball club meets at Cathedral Sunday School to-night, 8 o'clock.

—The City Boot and Shoe Store is the largest in the city and the smallest prices. GEO. H. MAYNARD, proprietor. *

—Mr. Speaker Kirkpatrick has been appointed a director of the C. P. R. Company.

—GEO. H. MAYNARD has the largest stock of boots and shoes in British Columbia. *

—There was only one case—a drunken Klootch—in the police court to-day, which was disposed of with the usual fine.

—The city council meets to-night. The Mayor says "Barnard will fly from his firm base sooner than I will give the casting vote." Fun is anticipated.

—Mrs. E. J. Miller receives pupils in oil painting, drawing, crayon and decorative work. Room 19, Bank of British Columbia building, Government St. *

—The Electric and Blue Mottled Soaps turned out by Pendray & Co. are absolutely pure—will wash the finest fabrics without damaging them or burning the hands. Try them.

—F. C. Innes & Co., Real Estate Brokers, and Financial Agents, Vancouver, B. C., attend promptly to all enquiries about the terminal city; *Free Reading Room* for use of strangers arriving in Vancouver. *

—Before furnishing your house call on SHORE & ANDERSON and examine their stock of bargains in furniture. Furniture repaired, also mattresses repaired and returned on one day's notice; Douglas streets, opposite City Hall. *

Hall & Quackenbush, Vancouver, B. C. have the most complete list of business and suburban properties for sale at the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Price and terms to suit all parties. Inquiries by mail promptly answered. References. *

—The thing can't be done—and there is no use of looking for, or expecting to get as good a line of Laundry Soaps, Toilet Soaps, Shaving Soap, as PENDRAY & Co. have on hand and are turning out at their factory on Humboldt street.

—Mr. N. G. Johnson desires to intimate to his numerous friends that he has bought a half interest in the NEW YORK RESTAURANT with Mr. Chris Nelson, where he will be pleased to meet them. Everything in first-class style; come and see us. NELSON & JOHNSON. *

—Workmen are removing the electric light pole from the corner of Langley and Fort streets to corner of Fort and Wharf streets, as recommended by the electric light committee. The change will be an improvement, more light being thrown on the wharf, where it is much needed.

—The old frame building, corner of Bastion Square and Commercial Alley, proved to be when its outward covering was removed one of the original log structures of the early days. It was once occupied by Capt. Reid as a dwelling and trading post. Senator McDonald, who owns the property, will erect a large brick warehouse on the spot.

—Parties wishing to invest in Port Moody property will have an opportunity of so doing by calling on Captain W. R. Clarke, at his salesroom, Yates street, where prices, conditions and all other information can be obtained. The property offered is on the Clarke estate, and is considered to be the most valuable in the port.

—The death is reported of Mr. E. L. Derby, C. E., at Roseburg, Oregon, on the 5th inst., while *en route* from this city to San Francisco. He was taken suddenly ill on the journey and was removed from the train to the McClaren House, Roseburg, where brother Mason waited upon him in his last hours. Mr. Derby was well known in this city as the promoter of the Sumas dyking scheme, and was a native of Brockville, Ont.

—The Mechanic's Institute directors have called a meeting of the members for next Thursday evening to consider the advisability of making the library free and handing it over to the city, to be sustained out of the public revenues. This is the only course open to the directors, as the institute has not for many years been self-sustaining, and has had to depend for existence on extraneous help. It ought to be made free to every citizen, and we do not believe there would be half a dozen votes recorded in the city against the proposition.

—Action is finally being taken by the parties interested to restrain the railway company from building the bridge over False Creek. A telegram was received here yesterday instructing the lawyers to serve a notice of injunction on Messrs. H Abbott or L. A. Hamilton, the effect of which would be to restrain the construction of the bridge until the court decided whether the company were not bound to build a swing bridge. The wonder is that the railway company cannot see that it is to the interest of the future city as a manufacturing point that False Creek should remain a common thoroughfare to all kinds of craft. And the first and best interests of Vancouver ought to be the first consideration of the

THE NEW WIRES.

Progress Being Made by the C. P. R. Telegraph Service—The New Wires being Strung Up.

Supt. James Wilson, of the C. P. R. telegraphic service arrived in the city last night from the mainland, having come direct from Donald, whither he had been in connection with his department. From Mr. Wilson it is learned that his jurisdiction extends from this city to Donald, and from that point to Port Arthur is under the superintendency of Mr. Jenkins, Winnipeg. From Donald towards the coast there are four gangs of men at work stringing wires and they expect to reach Port Moody and New Westminster in the course of a week or ten days. When this is completed it is believed the C. P. R. telegraph service will be in keeping with everything else owned or controlled by that powerful organization. The line will then be open for regular commercial and press business. A complete revolution in the system heretofore prevailing south of the boundary line will take place. Trouble with the wires doubtless will occur occasionally; but the ominous announcement "wires down" will be less frequent than it has been for the past two or three years. Mr. Wilson reports the line as in excellent order and that when completed it will be equal to any emergency. The railway road bed is in capital condition and the rolling stock all that could be wished for.

So far as the telegraph connections south of the Fraser are concerned these in accordance with the terms of the Act of Union have to be maintained. The settlers along the Yale road from New Westminster to Hope will be efficiently served in the future as in the past. The connection at Sumas, with the Western Union, will also be maintained. All points from the boundary to Portland will shortly be supplied with a postal telegraph service, and a reduction in rates no doubt will take place.

THE BUSH-PAYNE RACE.

This sculling race, of which so much has been said and written about, will take place next Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock sharp. The start will be from Beckwith's boat house, and two stake boats, one for each man, will be turned just above Deadman's Island. The final deposit of $200 each will be made Friday night with Mr. Frank Campbell, stakeholder, making $1000 in all. In the betting odds are wanted on Bush, several parties having upwards of $1000 to wager on Bush at odds of 4 to 6, the reason given for asking odds is that Payne is the champion. So far the betting that has been going on has been quietly conducted. Payne was in favor of postponing the race till Monday next, but Bush believed in sticking strictly to the articles of agreement. To cut a long story short Bush agreed to shake the dice with Payne, the winner to choose the date of the race. Bush won and consequently the race will take place as stated. Mr. Richard Broderick will act as starter and umpire and no better man could be found. Opinion is divided as to the probable winner, each sculler having a host of friends. An exciting race is sure to be the outcome of the struggle.

DISTINGUISHING HIMSELF.

The many friends of Mr. S. D. Schultz in this city will be pleased to learn that he is distinguishing himself as a law student in Toronto, and that there is every probability of this gentleman's achieving a brilliant career as a disciple of Blackstone. While he has been a very studious scholar he has also developed as an expert at base ball as the following from the Toronto *World* will testify. Referring to a game of ball played between Whitby and Toronto, the sporting editor of the *World* says: As Whitby has been playing a strong game during the present season, having on a recent tour defeated Lindsay, Peterboro, Bowmanville and Markham, the Toronto boys expected a pretty hard game but they were disappointed. The curves of Schultz, the Toronto pitcher, proved too much for the Whitby sluggers, who only made two single hits off his delivery and retired 17 times on three strikes. Mr. Geo. Lyon, of Toronto, umpired the game. The score was 18 for the Toronto club to 3 for Whitby.

MAINTAINING GOOD ORDER.

One of the best features of the entertainments given at Concordia Hall is the determination of the manager to insist on good order being maintained. This was evidenced last night. A young fellow was bent on making himself obnoxious to the audience and impertinent to the performers by unseemly interference and allusions. He was admonished that such conduct would not be tolerated and, continuing it, he found that such was the case, for the management gave him a summary eviction. A few little examples of this nature will teach those disposed to be disorderly the rules of propriety at public entertainments.

Y. M. C. A.

At the annual meeting of the Y. M. C. C., held Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Noah Shakespeare, M. P., President; J. L. Beckwith, 1st vice-president; A. B. Erskine, 2nd vice-president; Alfred Flett, 3rd vice-president; W. Walker, treasurer; Chris Spencer, recording secretary, Jas. Hutcheson, Robt. Erskine, A. A. Green, Hon. J. Robson, J. B. Ferguson, A. J. Clyde, directors. J. Dalby was reappointed general secretary.

CORSETS, CORSETS, CORSETS.

We make corsets a specialty. Having rarely less than 500 pairs in stock we can at all times offer the largest variety to be found in the city. Amongst those lately received are the "COUPON," a remarkably strong, well made, model shaped Corset, at a very low price, guaranteed for a twelvemonth; and the "INSURANCE," the the greatest novelty in Corsets yet introduced. WM. WILSON & CO.

*2w CITY HOUSE.

THE DOMESTIC

Took the first and only prize awarded to sewing machines in all points of merit by competent judges at the Provincial Exhibition Oct. 9th. Special prizes for work done on the Domestic; best plain sewing; best chenille embroidery; best arrasene embroidery; best stching. T. W. Fletcher, agent.

TO MAPLE BAY.

Hon. W. Smithe, J. J. Austin, R. Porter, R. A. Brown, J. Cathcart, Mrs. Hall and about fifty others went to Maple Bay today on the Amelia to attend the exhibition. They will return this evening.

EXCURSION RETURNS TO PORT MOODY.

Until further notice return tickets from Victoria to Port Moody and Vancouver will be sold for Sundays trip of the Princess Louise at one fare—$3.50. Tickets on sale by D. R. MUNRO, passenger agent, C. P. N. Co. ONLY. *

AMATEUR ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY.

At a meeting of the members of the Amateur Orchestral Society held last evening at Mr. J. J. Austin's office, it was decided to commence practice at once. Gentlemen desirous of joining will please apply to Mr. Siffken, hon. sec.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. T. Harper, Bonaparte, is in the city.

Mr. D. W. Gordon, M. P., and Mrs. Gordon, of Nanaimo, are in the city.

John Ross and A. B. Thorn, shadow-fixers from Winnipeg, arrived last night. We believe they secured a number of splendid mountain views.

Mr. James Wilson, Supt. C. P. R telegraph department, accompanied by Mrs. Wilson arrived from the mainland last night.

Mr. R. J. Plummer sailed from Liverpool on the 24th ult., on the Dominion steamer Montreal, and after a few days stay in Quebec, Montreal and Toronto, will start for Victoria.

At the Driard: M B Sachs, Port Townsend; E Farrer, Giachon Landing; M M English and wife, Lulu Island; Mrs H Barker, Liverpool.

At the Clarence: Geo H Holbrook, Portland; Rev. A H Anderson and wife, Nanaimo; C G Pearson, Seattle; John Ross and A B Thorn, Winnipeg; Thos W Booth, Toronto; Albert Grans, Vancouver; M Myers, Tacoma; D Kellogg, Seattle.

Mr. S. Perry Mills, barrister, returned to the city from the mainland last night. He was at Lytton attending the Court of Assize and left there early on Tuesday morning, reaching here on the same night. Formerly this journey occupied four days' time. Now it can be accomplished by daylight. Who will deny that we are not progressing towards greatness?

Mr. H. D. Helmcken, of the legal firm of Drake, Jackson & Co., returned from the Lytton Assizes last night. He left here Saturday night, attended to his cases and got back on Tuesday. Quick work, truly.

Mr. W. J. Taylor, of the legal firm of Eberts & Taylor, returned from an extended visit to Ontario and other eastern points last night. Mr. T. was absent for about six weeks, and appears to have enjoyed himself for he looks none the worse of his trip. It may interest many to know that he returned alone, contrary to general expectations.

Mr. S. G. Fulton, A. G. F. A., Oregon Railway and Navigation Co., is in the city.

Mr. Geo. S. Wright, capitalist and steamboat owner, of New York, brother of Capt. Wright, will arrive in the city to-night via the C. P. R.

Mr. James, one of the superintendents of the Liverpool post-office, arrived from the east last night, on a holiday tour. He remains in Victoria until Saturday, when he will proceed to San Francisco by steamer and thence return east via the Union Pacific.

At the Oriental: W R Robb, Comox; E A Wadhams, Ladner's Landing; E Riley, Chemainus; G Hayes Kamloops; Geo Walker, Nanaimo; J Robinson, Vancouver.

—Canadian Pacific stock touched 72 on the New York market last week. This is the highest price ever realized and indicates a steady and gratifying confidence among financial men.

Mr. W. L. Fagan, the C. P. R. agent for New Westminster, has arrived in that city and for the meantime will take up his quarters in the office of the C. P. N. Co. Mr. Fagan is an old railroader, having graduated on the W. G. & B. R., at Guelph, Ontario. Mr. Fagan's family will reach the Royal city shortly, where they will reside in future.

Passengers by the Princess Louise last night from Port Moody: J Wilson and wife, H P Helmcken, Geo Ross, Mrs Booth, Miss Campbell, R A Benedict, S P Mills, Mrs E Benson, D M McLennan, T Harper, C E Rand, H V Edmonds, Widman, A Evans and wife, J Murphy, T McDowell, A J Clark, J Northcote, A B Thorn, W J Taylor, W C Dibble, H L Good.

Passengers per the Geo E Star: J Duncan, J Fillago, J C Rutledge, S W Conffer, A T Vandeway, Beasner, S G Fulton, Boughton, Geo Emanuel, Thissill, Geo Hamon, Miss Reid, P Keogh, T Dougherty, Brandon, A D Austin and wife, Wilson, Stern, Capt Harman, D Roswell, McIsaac.

A GREAT FERRY.

Capt. Irving Leaves for the East To-night to Complete the Scheme—Success to His Mission.

It is understood that Capt. Irving will extend his Winnipeg trip to Montreal, where he will consult the C.P.R. officials relative to the coasting trade between the terminus and the Sound ports, as well as the service to Victoria. It is on the boards to place on the Victoria route a fleet of rapid steamers that will accomplish the journey in four hours, or even less time. The trade of Victoria is assuming such dimensions that the C. P. N Company feel themselves justified in taking this important and to them, expense step. It is one, however, that will be duly appreciated by the public. The Sound service will be performed by American bottoms. It is believed that it will be necessary to get such a fleet for the Victoria trade, as is now absolutely necessary, from the Clyde. Ere many months pass the ferry scheme will become a veritable reality by vessels plying direct between the capital and the terminal city. The captain will be absent at least a couple of weeks.

CONSIGNEES.

Per R. P. Rithet from Port Hammond: A B Gray & Co, Albion Iron Works, Col Wolfenden, Ames Holden & Co, C Morley, Carne & Mussie, C Lange, D E Campbell, D M Jackson, D Spencer, E G Prior, E E Todwell, H Saunders, John Weiler, Langley & Co, Marvin & Tilton, N & Renouf, O C Hastings, R Carr, O H Goodwin, Rev T Crosby, S J Pitts, Thos Earle, M Forrest, W H Redmond, Geo Sluggitt, W Lawrence, S Leiser, Brown Bros, V T Co, M Lenz, Capt McCulloch, H Saunders, Vair & Costa, N & Ross, H Bornstein, Geo Vienna, G H Brown, G Denis, T Deasy, W J Jeffree, Dom Ex Co, A Dickey, J B Greaves & Co, Martin, R Seabrook.

Per Starr from the Sound: A B & C Co, Anderson & H, B Lindley, B C S & P Co, Gas Works, H B Co, Hamm & M, J Weiler, J Sehl, M R & T, Nicholles & Renouf, S Leiser, S E King, T Ecarle, V & E Tel Co, W Eckert, W Heathorn, M L Cridge, H Stephens.

—The $65 excursion from Victoria to St. Paul, Minneapolis and other eastern points is to be liberally patronized from the Sound. A few have purchased tickets in Victoria for the round trip.

Great Salvage Sale.

$25,000 worth of Stationery and Books must be cleared out in thirty days.

R. C. Stationery & Pty. Co.,
J. B. FERGUSON,
General Manager.

The old Bank of British Columbia Building Corner of Government and Bastion streets.

FIRE! FIRE!

W. Heathorn is now prepared to execute all orders entrusted him with UTMOST DESPATCH.

VICTORIA BOOT & SHOE

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight alum or phosphate powders. SOLD ONLY IN CANS. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall Street, N. Y. 141

Cowichan Lake.

The Sportsman's Paradise. Every comfort and requisite to be had at the Cowichan Lake Hotel.
C. GREEN, Proprietor.

NOTICE.

Parties desirous of visiting Cowichan Lake can obtain the necessary means of conveyance by communicating with Jas. Kerr of Somenos, either by letter or telegraph, charges moderate. *

Gosnell's Sugar Cured Hams, are now ready at his store, corner Cormorant and Douglas streets. *

NEW TO-DAY.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between P. J. McDonald and Henry Harris, proprietors of the Ship Inn, Esquimalt, has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by Henry Harris.

J. F. MACDONALD.
HENRY HARRIS.

Victoria Oct 12th 1886.

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST

Bell, Larkin & Paterson,

Contractors E. & N. Railway, must be sent in, addressed to them at offices of the above Company, Victoria, on or before the 22nd inst. octi3

Mechanics Literary Institute

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SUBSCRIBERS of the above institute will be held on Tuesday evening next, the 19th inst., at 8 o'clock in the reading room, for the purpose of taking into consideration the advisability of handing over the library to the City Council to be used as a free public library, and other matters in connection with the proposed winding up of the affairs of the association.

A full attendance is earnestly solicited.

By order of the committee of management
F. L. TUCKFIELD,
oct 13-td Hon Secretary.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo RAILWAY.

TIME CARD NO. 1.

To take effect at 8 a. m. Sept. 30, 1886.

Going North. Read Down. No. 2 PASSENGER. DAILY.		STATIONS.	Going South. Read Up. No. 1 PASSENGER. DAILY.	
Dep. 8:00	A. M.	RUSSELL'S, Vic. W.	Arr. 5:00	
" 8:05		ESQUIMALT	" 5:00	
" 8:25		GOLDSTREAM	" 4:50	
" 9:00		SHAWNIGAN LAKE	" 4:00	
" 9:35		COBBLE HILL	" 3:30	
" 10:00		McPHERSON'S	" 3:05	
" 10:15		KOKSILAH	" 2:45	
" 10:40		DUNCAN'S	" 2:20	
" 10:50		SOMENOS	" 2:10	
Arr. 11:30		CHEMAINUS	" 1:30	
" 11:40		NANAIMO	Dep. 1:20	P. M.

R. DUNSMUIR, President. JOSEPH HUNTER, General Supt.

In addition to the regular train service a special train will be run as follows:

Leave Russell's Station, Vic. West....At 2:00 p. m. Saturday, 16th.
Arrive Nanaimo.....At 5:40 " "
Leave Nanaimo.....At 8 a. m. Sunday, 17th
Arrive Russell's Station, Victoria W...At 11:40 a. m. "
Leave " " At 2 p. m. "
Arrive Nanaimo ...At 5:40 p. m. "
Leave Nanaimo ...At 8 a. m. Monday 18th.
Arrive Russell's Station, Victoria W...At 11:40 a.m.

RETURN TICKETS at a SINGLE FARE will be issued at all Stations on Saturday and Sunday, the 16th and 17th inst., good for passenger trains leaving Russell's Station Victoria West, and Nanaimo on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, 16th, 17th and 18th inst.

Victoria, B. C., 12th October, 1886. octi3

Robert Ward & Co.,

WHARF STREET.

ARE NOW LANDING, EX "GLENLYON," from London:

Portland Cement—Fine quality, manufactured by John Cubitt Gostling & Co., London.

Curtis's & Harvey's PORTING POWDER—A full assortment of their celebrated *Diamond Grain, Patent Brown Powder*, and ordinary grades.

KIRKMAN'S PIANOFORTES—In Ebony, Rosewood and Walnut cases. Highest Awards, Inventions Exhibition, 1885, *Gold Medal* for "General excellence."

Jules Robin & Co.'s BRANDY, Bulk and Case.

Fromy & Roger's BRANDY, Cases.

—Ex steamers from Havana—

60,000 Choice Brands CIGARS, manufactured by M. Andrea Rodrigues, Havana.

ROBERT WARD & CO.,
sept29 D & W 2w. Wharf street Victoria.

Victoria Loan Office

44 Johnson Street.

MONEY LOANED ON ALL KINDS OF SECURITIES.

oct1 1y

J. & A. CLEARIHUE

Have Just Received a Shipment of

NUTS,

Almonds, Brazil, Pea Nuts, Filberts & Walnuts.

YATES STREET.

Where, When and How

TO BUY YOUR BOOTS AND SHOES.

WHERE---AT MANSELL'S.
WHEN---NOW IS THE TIME.
HOW---FOR CASH.

WHY

Because he has the Largest Stock to select from in the Province, and Prices Extremely Low for the Coin.

Come and inspect Goods and Prices at

THE B. C. BOOT AND SHOE STORE,

H. MANSELL, - - - - Government Street. P. O. BOX 34.

OSHAWA MOWERS.

They surpass all other Mowers in Workmanship, quality of material, excellence of construction and in performance of work.

New Model Threshers.

They are the best Threshing Machines in the world, do the largest amount of work, give the cleanest product and are the best constructed in America.

Portable Engines.

No better Agricultural Engine made; they give satisfaction to Threshers.

Hall Threshing Machines.

The best in the market for Horse Power; long established repute.

Undershot Clover Mills.

None to equal them; superior to all others.

Champion Reapers, Woodbury Horse Power, Planet Horse Powers, Pitts Horse Powers, California Horse Powers, Dougherty Shingle Machines

Leffel Water Wheels.

All sizes, from 5¾ up to 96 inches in Diameter.

Joseph Hall Machine Works,

J. LIVINGSTONE, Trustee, OSHAWA, Canada.

ARRIVED AND IN STOCK.

Choice Eastern Township Butter.
Do. Western Butter.
Prime Western Cheese.
Prime Brockville do.
IN LOTS TO SUIT THE TRADE.

Families can obtain these Choice Goods only through their Grocer or Provision Merchant.

DeCOSMOS BLOCK, GOVERNMENT ST.

J. C. DEVLIN.

Fishing Season, 1887

J. & W. STUART,

Musselburgh, Scotland, are now receiving through

Robert Ward & Co.,

Sole Agents for British Columbia.

Orders for Spring delivery for their manufactures of

NETS AND TWINE,

The superiority of which is now so thoroughly established among all the leading canners of the Pacific Coast.

Special attention is directed to

STUART'S PATENT

Double-Knotted Mesh,

Recently invented, after infinite pains and great cost to the manufacturers, and which will now fill a long felt want among fishermen at a reasonable price.

Samples and prices on application to the undersigned.

ROBERT WARD & CO.,
sept28 Wharf Street.

The Starr Kidney Pad,

A PERMANENT,

Sure Cure for Diseases,

Disorders and Ailments of the Kidneys, Bladder and Urinary Secretive System, or Attendant Complaints causing Pain in Small of Back, Sides, etc., producing Urinary Disorders, such as too frequent Scanty, Difficult, Painful or Copious Micturition, Inability of Retention and Sedimentary Urine, Dropsical Symptoms, etc., denoting the presence in the system of Diseases common to the Urinary Secretive Organs, known as Gravel, Catarrh of the Bladder and passages; Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Dropsy, Piles, Nervous Debility, etc., etc.

Pamphlets and Testimonials can be obtained from Druggists free.

PRICES—Child's Pad, $1.50 (cures Bed-wetting Regular Pad, $2.00. Special Pad for Chronic Diseases $3.00.

"GOOD BACKING.—As the Starr Kidney Pad Co. of Toronto are again introducing in this province their among cure, it is only fair to call attention to the long period of success which has greeted their great antidote for so many distressing diseases. The inveterate complaints of diabetes and Bright's disease or the kidneys are affirmed by reliable people to yield to the persevering application of this company's pads, which have no equal in the effectual treatment of lame backs and all weakness of the lumbar and genito-urinary organs."—Victoria Colonist, Sept. 11, 1886.

LANGLEY & Co., Wholesale Agents, Victoria, B. C.

Retail by E. Pinbury & Co., Nanaimo, T. Pickard, Denman Island; R. B. Richardson, Cowichan; A. R. Johnson & Co., Chemainus; J. McNeely, Lake's Landing; A. M. Horning and D. R. Curry & Co., New Westminster; H. Mc-

For San Francisco.

Carrying H. M. Mails and Wells, Fargo & Co.'s and Northern Pacific Express.

The Pacific Coast Steamship Co.'s Steamer

"MEXICO,"

CAPTAIN HUNTINGTON.

Will sail from Victoria wharf, outer harbor, for San Francisco on

Saturday, Oct. 16, at 1 p. m,

Intending Shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible, so that room may be reserved for their shipments.

Freight for shipment by her is required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock P. M., on Friday, Oct. 15.

For Freight and Passage apply to

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
oct12 Agents.

Notice.

BARQUE OASES.

ALL accounts against the barque Oases must be presented to the undersigned or before Tuesday the 12th inst. Bills presented after that date will not be recognized.

TAI YUNG & CO.
oct 9-td Government street.

Notice.

THE OWNERS OF THE BARK ABERLEMNO

now in port, will not be responsible for any debts contracted by officers or crew, unless same is authorized by

HALL, ROSS & CO.,
Oct. 11—4t Inward Agents.

RICE FLOUR

AND

Ground Rice for Sale

Preferable to Corn Starch for Puddings, Etc.

A Superior article of bread, free from hard crusts, is made by mixing about fifteen per cent of RICE FLOUR with wheat Flour. Put up in 10 lb. packets.

Victoria Rice Mills,
sep27 1m STORE STREET.

Land Registry Ordinance, 1870.

LOT NO. 18, ESQUIMALT TOWN

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF LEE Chung Ye of Victoria, British Columbia, to the above mentioned Lot, bearing date the 19 day of April, 1862, has been lost, and application has been made for a Duplicate of such Certificate. Notice is hereby given that Duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Registrar General of Land Registry Office Victoria.
October 8th, 1886. oct 6 1m

Concordia Hall,

DOUGLAS & YATES ST.

Grand Re-opening,

With an entire

NEW TROUPE

—OF—

Specialty Artists!

—IN A—

Grand Program of Novelties

MATINEE every Wednesday and Saturday Afternoons, at 2 o'clock. Admission 15 Cents.

EXCURSION TO MAPLE BAY.

For Cowichan, Salt Spring Island and Chemainus Agricultural Exhibition.

FAST AND FAVORITE STEAMER AMELIA will leave Turner, Beeton & Co.'s Wharf on WEDNESDAY MORNING, 13th October, at half-past 6 o'clock, returning same evening. A fine Band will be in attendance.

Fare Round Trip, $2. sept27 td

Roller Skating Rink

NOW OPEN

Every Day & Evening.

Brass Band in attendance on Wednesdays & Saturdays.

sept 1

British Columbia

MILLING & MINING CO. Ld.,

ASSESSMENT No 8.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that an assessment of one cent per share has been levied upon the members of the above company, payable at the company's Office (new bank of British Columbia building) Government street, Victoria.

The stock on which the above assessment remains unpaid after the first day of November next shall from and after that date be deemed delinquent. Dated 29th Sept., 1886, by order of the Directors.

W. MONTEITH,
Sept. 29-1m Secretary.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO THE Dominion Government Agent, and endorsed "Tender for Semi-detached Dwellings for Officers Penitentiary, New Westminster, B. C.," will be received at this office until noon of MONDAY, the 25th October, instant, inclusively, for the erection and completion of two pairs of Semi-detached Dwellings at British Columbia Penitentiary.

Plans and specification can be seen at this Office and at the Post Office, New Westminster, on and after the 14th October, instant.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by accepted bank cheque made payable to the order of the Dominion Government Agent, equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for.

The department will the be bound to accept the lowest of any tender.

By order.
E. M. BOVILL,
Private Secretary.
Dominion Government Agent's Office,
Victoria, B. C., 9th October, 1886. oc 11 4t

DRINK Grenadine PUNCH

Composed of WHITE ROCK MINERAL WATER and GRENADINE SYRUP.

H. R. ELLA,
Sole Agent, Corner Broad and Fort Streets

VANCOUVER CITY.

100 Choice City Lots

FOR SALE,

IN SAMUEL GREER'S SUBDIVISION OF Thirty Acres, fronting on English Bay, adjoining the location of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's WORKSHOPS, ROUND HOUSE and Terminal Buildings. This is the most desirable property on English Bay and must increase rapidly in value.

Prices are low and terms so reasonable as to place them within the reach of every one.

Plans of lots, prices and conditions, can be obtained on application to

SAMUEL GREER,
oct6 tf Vancouver.

Private Detective

AND ENQUIRY OFFICE. Enquiries of every description confidentially conducted. Correspondence to all parts of the globe.

PICKERING & CO.,
P. O. ex 884. Telephone 4 Victoria, B. C. aug 4 1m

DRESSMAKING.

I DESIRE TO INTIMATE TO MY CUSTOMERS and the Ladies of Victoria that I am now prepared to do

Dressmaking in all its Branches.

Having had a large experience in the business, satisfaction guaranteed.

MISS R. C. ANDERSON,
Government Street,
sept15 1m (Bet. Broughton & Courtney Sts.)